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BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line

Pike, the Cottage Studio photographer, will be at the studio until Sept. 1. After that date he will be away at his other studio. Special inducements to have your work done now.

New goods at Beck's Bazaar.

Boys' 50c blouses for 25c at Foster's.

Genuine homemade tinware at W. C. Leavitt's.

Reduced prices on men's suits at Foster's.

Cheap prices at Beck's Bazaar.

Gasoline at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Several lines of $10 suits for $7.50 at Foster's.

New line infants' hosiery, Chase's. *

Powder and dynamite at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

$12 summer suits for $10 at Foster's.

Root beer, Moxie, ginger ale, all kinds of soda at Beck's Bazaar.

Best wearing ladies' hosiery, Chase's.*

Royal steel preserving kettles, wear a lifetime, never turn black, Chase's. *

Fix up your furnaces for winter. Wm. C. Leavitt will do it.

Fly paper, 3 double sheets 5c, at Beck's Bazaar.

Big bargains in towels, Chases's.

Job work in sheet metal done quickly and well by Wm. C. Leavitt.

Special bargains in children's hosiery, Chase's. *

Whips at cost or less at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Small cottage with first-class garden to let on Lake Pennesseewassee. Inquire of Capt. Porter.

Hardware, builders' materials and tinware at J. O. Crooker's.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

Ella Harper is working in the shoe shop.

John M. Lombard and family will move to Westbrook.

Warren Hills of Union is visiting his son, Vivian W. Hills.

Emma Abbott is clerking in Thomas Smiley's dry goods store.

C. N. Tubbs has returned from a ten days' visit to Harpswell Beach.

Emma Smith is entertaining Mrs. Frank True at Tanglewood cottage, this week.

Thomas Smith started, one day last week, on a visit to his father's in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Frank E. Bell of Portland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O. Crooker.

A. A. Everett took up a swarm of bees, Saturday, at Sodom and got six quarts of honey.

Bertha H. Mann has returned home from a six weeks' visit to relatives in Massachusetts.

Jonas W. Swan and Dr. Fremont L. Hogan of Lisbon Falls spent the Sabbath in Norway.

Mrs. Emma Cooke of Charlestown, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Dale, on Tucker street.

Judge and Mrs. Charles F. Whitman went to Canton, the last of the week, to see their baby grandson there.

Word from Ralph I. Trask at Haines landing is that he has gained ten pounds in weight and is feeling frisky.

Mary Lapham of Augusta, daughter of the late Dr. Wm. B. Lapham, is visiting at Mrs. Betsey Churchill's.

Silas Edward of New York and Mrs. Susie F. Goodnow of Portland are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harris.

Stella Pike of the Norway National Bank is spending her vacation at the Weirs, N. H., by Lake Winnepesaukee.

Ed. C. Thompson and Mr. Giles were at Newry fishing, last week. They returned with a goodly number of fine trout.

Percy Greenleaf and wife of East Otisfield were at Norway, Monday. They called on H. O. Holden and Mrs. A. A. Everett.

Cora Belle Shedd and Gertrude Gardner started on Monday morning for Buffalo, N. Y., and the Pan-American Exposition.

Rev. B. Franklin Fickett informs us that there will be Methodist preaching in North Norway chapel at 2.30 p. m., next Sunday.

Eugene E. Andrews took his wife and child along and combined business with pleasure on a trip through Lincoln and Knox counties,

Mrs. L. D. Cropley of Portland, has recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snow. She was on her way to the Thousand Islands.

Mrs. Asa D. True moves to Lawrence, Mass., where she will keep house for her uncle, Benjamin Smith. She has stored her own household goods.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gurney of Lawrence, Mass., and Lottie Bennett of Sweden spent a couple of days, last week, with relatives in Norway.

James L. Paige and wife of Topeka, Kan., have finished their visit to Oxford county relatives and gone to Penobscot county for short visits before returning home.

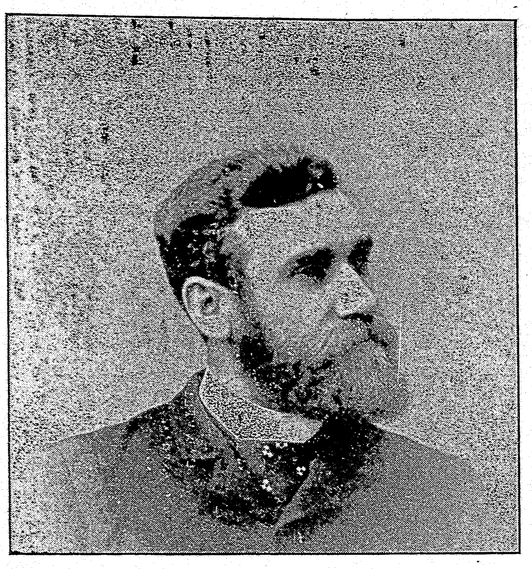
Mrs. Catharine Huxford and daughters, Mrs. A. E. Baker and Mrs. F. G. Farnsworth, also Mrs. E. W. Baker, all of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. Hiram Huxford.

The West Paris and Lewiston Volunteers base ball teams played on the fair grounds, Saturday afternoon. A slack, wearisome game, the down river boys winning by 10 to 2.

C. B. Cummings & Sons are making the wooden backs for tin door signs for the retail shoe dealers who handle the shoes made at the Radcliffe shoe factory. There are several thousand of them.

Thursday morning, Grand Master Alfred S. Kimball and Grand Marshal B. F. Bradbury started for Millinocket. The Grand Master will constitute there a new lodge of Freemasons named Nollesemic.

Monday, the selectmen signed the permit for the Eastern Telephone Co. to come into town. They have a permit for the streets of Norway village and the roads by Norway Lake and North Norway to Greenwood line, by Waterford stage road to Waterford line, by Harrison stage road to Harrison line and down Main street to Oxford line. They are to maintain the line in good condition, keep the wires at least 18 feet above the ground, keep the poles in Norway village painted, and reserve two pins on the top cross arm for the use of the town or village corporation. The company will also furnish and maintain without charge to the town two telephones, one in the office of the selectmen and the other in the office of the town clerk.



DR. Z. WILLIS KEMP. [See page 6.]

S. E. Cobb of Oxford had the misfortune, Tuesday, of his cart breaking down as he was hauling a load of stovewood into this village. Mr. Cobb drives an ox team, a couple of black beauties each girthing more than seven feet.

J. Orin Smith, esq., and wife of Presque Isle have been visiting their folks in town. He is the son of James Smith, the shoe dealer, and she is the daughter of Sidney A. Stevens, the civil engineer. They stopped off while on their way home from Buffalo.

Judge A. H. Walker and E. E. Walker esq., of Bridgton and Edward E. Hastings esq., of Fryeburg were in town on Tuesday. They are the committee appointed by the probate court to adjudicate claims against the estate of J. O. Longley, late of Waterford, and had assembled for a hearing.

J. L. Paige, who was intending to leave for Kansas, this week, has concluded to remain a little longer. He received word, the first of this week, that his brother, A. W. Paige of Manhattan, Kansas, was on his way to visit here and Mr. Paige thinks he will remain and see him. A. W. Paige will visit the Pan-American Exposition on his way here.

Some of the intermediate school boys have organized a base ball nine which they call Cat Alley Club. They are hoping to make arrangements for a few games with similar teams either in this or neighboring villages and are putting in lots of time at practice. The make up of the team is:

Pitcher—Hubert Barker.
Catcher and captain—Carl Stearns.
First base and manager—Harold Harney.
Second base—Ralph Harney.
Third base—Earl Stearns.
Shortstop—Everett McKay.
Left field—Clayson Walker.
Center field—Leslie Rowe.
Right field—Donald Bartlett.

Samuel P. Frost.

On Thursday afternoon, July 18, funeral service was held over the remains of the late Samuel P. Frost at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mason Frost. He was 86 years old and had always lived in Norway, being born and always living on the farm on Frost Hill. He was known and highly respected by the older residents of the town many of whom attended the funeral service, which was officiated by Miss C. E. Angell. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

He leaves a widow and six adult children to mourn his loss, they are Mrs. Elizabeth Holden, Lurett Thibodeau, Ella Yeaton, Etta Frost, Fred Frost and Freeman Frost, all of whom live in town except Ella Yeaton and Freeman Frost who reside in Massachusetts. Fred S. Frost has for many years lived with and taken care of his parents on the farm. He also leaves a brother, Peter Frost, and a sister, Nancy W. Yeaton.

Harry L. Holden is at work at South Paris corn shop making cans.

Lee M. Smith and family have returned from a fortnight's sojarn at Old Orchard.

We learn that Robert F. Bickford of Rumford Falls has gone to British Columbia to work with Frank M. Young at railroad surveying. Mr. Young, whose home is at West Minot, has done a great deal of work at civil engineering in the Canadian West.

William F. Jones, esq., and wife have returned from the cottage at Small Point, but we understand that Mrs. Jones will go there again for several weeks, and that Mr. Jones will spend his Sabbaths there. The children are at the cottage now.

Philip Bourbean Killed.

Wednesday afternoon, July 24, Philip Bourbean was working on a gang stripper in the saw mill of the Paris Manufacturing Co. The lumber was heavy oak boards, and the saws threw back one. It struck Bourbean in the stomach, knocking him down.

He was taken to his home on Alpine street in Norway. It was found that the blow had been severe enough to cause internal paralysis. He lingered along for four days and finally died on Sunday evening.

Bourbean was a Canadian Frenchman, about 27 years old. He had lived here a couple of years, was an industrious man and was liked by his fellow workmen. He left a wife, the daughter of J. O. Stiles of Norway. They had been married two and one-half years. Mr. Bourbean's father lives in Island Pond, Vt.

The funeral occurred, Wednesday, from the Methodist church, the sermon by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Fickett. Owen Brooks sang some appropriate solos. About thirty of the workmen from the sled factory where he worked at South Paris attended. There were many floral offerings and they were very beautiful.

Rev. Arthur A. Callaghan of Oxford was in town, Wednesday.

Rev. Alexander Wiswell of Upton, Mass., is visiting friends in town.

Paul R. Holden went to Portland, Saturday last, returning on Monday.

Flora E. Brock of West River, Vt., is visiting her brother, Fred Brock, clerk at the Beal's Hotel.

The Methodist Sunday school to the number of three score picknicked at Electra Park, Wednesday afternoon.

F. H. Noyes found himself rather "under the weather" on his return from New York, Tuesday. He was confined to the house for a day or two.

George D. Swift and family, who have been living at Deering for a couple of years, will move back to town and occupy their house on Winter street.

Joseph H. Jewett went to Newton Center, Mass., last week, to attend the funeral of his cousin, Louise Evans, daughter of G. Frank and Lizzie (Jewett) Evans, formerly of Norway. Miss Evans was a brilliant scholar, a graduate of Boston University and the idol of her parents who have no other child.

Complimentary but True.

The Manchester (N. H.) Mirror in a report of a recent ball game has the following to say about H. H. Nevers of this town, who plays first base with the Lewiston nine:—

First baseman Nevers played a brilliant game for Lewiston. Some of the old timers said it was the finest piece of work that had been seen in that position, this season. Neither pitcher Morse nor catcher Clark would allow a base runner to edge far enough away from first base to get a draught between themselves and the baseman without sending the ball whizzing down behind him, but Nevers was always ready for the hottest throws that came and never missed a possible play. He was kept on the bag most of the time and he covered it magnificently. His throwing was superb.

Wm. Thibodeau and wife returned, last Sunday, from a four weeks' visit to Massachusetts. Mr. Thibodeau's health is very much improved. They visited Brockton, Taunton, Middleboro, Boston, Lynn, Salem, Newburyport and several of the beaches while absent.

The Andrews Party start for Four Ponds on their annual fishing trip, next Wednesday. It is expected the following will answer the roll call at "Deka" camp at Little Round Pond, next Wednesday evening: E. E. and H. F. Andrews, J. F. Swain, J. F. Bolster, F. H. Torrey, E. L. Judkins and F. W. Sanborn. They will go by rail to Summit and intend to stay a week.

L. P. Swett, favorably known to the sporting public as a camp owner in the Wild River district, has recently returned from Mattawamkeag, where he has purchased the Molunkus Camps at the head of a lake of the same name. Mr Swett was accompanied on his trip from Bangor by his uncle, P. M. Andrews, of that city. His purchase is in a splendid moose, deer country and is only 58 miles from Bangor. Molunkus lake is some four miles long and one to one and a half miles wide. Louvie saw 13 deer about the lake and camp while there. He intends starting there for the opening of the big game season and expects to do a good business as a camp proprietor.

The first month of our rural free deliveries has been a good one. In July there were twenty-seven delivery days. On Route No. 1, carrier John P. Judkins delivered 2,213 separate pieces of mail and collected 866 making an average of 114 pieces handled daily on a route. accommodating families in 102 houses Along Route No. 2, carrier Stephen L. Ethridge delivered 2,664 pieces and collected 984, a daily average of 135 pieces on a route where there are 120 houses. The first month's business is usually the smallest on any route, and it is expected that each of these will soon be doing a monthly business of 4,000 or more pieces of mail.

Sadie Hasty and Rose Hassett went for a boat ride, Tuesday, on the Bird brook near shoe factory bridge. The boat was one that was recently built out of boards and owned by some boys, and while not equal in looks to a Stephenson canoe is a very creditable boat for boys to construct out of the material they had and they consider it safe for this small stream. The girls capsized in it. Miss Hassett clung to some bushes on the bank but Miss Hasty got under the boat in the water in such a way she could not get out. Aaron Paige and Edward A. Tyler were at the Methodist church and went to the assistance of the girls and with the aid of Roy Keene got them out of the water. Miss Hasty was unconscious and would doubtless have been drowned in a short time.

Mrs. Wm. H. Tracy of Lawrence, Mass., is in the village at Mrs. Harriet Frost's.

Mrs. Louis J. Lamb and son Leonard of Attleboro, Mass., are staying at Albert Richardson's.

The Universalist Sunday school will picnic at Gibson's grove, Friday, Aug. 2. The steamer will leave village wharf at 10 a. m.

An Old Ladies' Home.

MR. EDITOR: Why not have an old ladies' home for the county of Oxford. It would fill a long felt want and be an honor to the county, a blessing to those who have no home of their own in their declining years. Why not make the old Horne homestead of Norway village such a home. No place in the county is better adapted to such a home, with 22 rooms mostly furnished with hot and cold water now. It could be bought at a reasonable figure and put in shape for immediate use at a small expense. Such a thing has been talked of a little and I am informed Mrs. Horne would like to see it done. Let us hear from the good people of the county. I have heard two persons say they would furnish a room and your humble servant would also furnish one. Now is the time to make a move as this property is likely to be changed within a year.

SOUTH PARIS.

Willis O. Record spent Sunday at Chase's Mills.

Mrs. Edwin Anderson visited in Portland, Sunday.

Dana Farnham is with his uncle, Will Stearns on Stearns Hill.

Myrtle A. Bacon of Bryant's Pond is visiting friends here.

Florence Jewett of Denmark is visiting at Albert W. Walker's.

The Eastern Telephone Co. has begun setting poles in this village.

Mrs. Will R. Henry has a beautiful bed of pansies all in blossom.

Shingling and other necessary repairs are in progress at the cornshop.

Mrs. A. L. Holmes is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bodge, at Pine Point.

Master Lester Earl Henry is the happy possessor of a new canvass tent.

The Baptist circle will have an ice cream social, this Friday evening.

Mrs. Diantha Edwards from North Woodstock is visiting friends here.

James L. Bowker and wife of Bryant's Pond were in town on last Saturday.

Mrs. Llewellyn E. Pulsifer of Natick, Mass., is visiting at Hiram Pulsifer's.

Mrs. Rose Needham and son, of Gorham, N. H., visited at Ed Murch's, last week.

W. H. Cook of Lisbon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cook, Sunday.

James M. Hannaford is visited by his sister, Mrs. Martha Downs from Massachusetts.

Two daughters of Charles Deering of Chicago are guests of their grand aunt, Mary Deering.

W. H. Crockett of Locke's Mills and J. S. Brown of Bryant's Pond were in town, Monday.

Dr. Horatio Woodbury was able to get down town, last Saturday, and is gaining rapidly now.

Sidney Goodwin broke one thumb while working on the gang saws at the sled factory, last week.

Master Norris Newell has been in Sumner visiting at the home of his uncle, Warren Lothrop.

Mrs. Carrie M. Austin has had her residence on Highland avenue repainted in drab with slate trimmings.

The Gardiner clothing firm in which Dwight M. Wise is a partner has opened a branch store at Bowdoinham.

Mrs. Samuel Richards went to Augusta, Monday of last week. Her son, Will Richards, came home with her.

Thursday evening, July 25, the Methodist people held at the church their second lawn party of the season.

Leon O. Glover and family of Gorham, Me., are visiting Mrs. Glover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Stiles,

Mrs. Mabel Carter and two children from Cambridge, Mass., are visiting at her uncle's, J. Almon Penley's.

Wendell Rounds has returned from book canvassing in the Aroostook and tells us that he did a good business.

L. R. Cole, dealer in meats and provisions, has made an assignment to Clayton K. Brooks and the store is closed.

Percy Allen and wife are visiting his folks in Bridgton. During his vacation, Wendell Rounds will work in Parlin's drug store.

Sunday evening, the Young Ladies' Mission Band will have charge of the monthly missionary meeting at the Baptist church.

Judge George A. Wilson ate for Saturday dinner this year's green corn out of his own raising. The Judge takes pride in his garden.

Rawson Holman is repainting his residence on Highland avenue. The color is changed to light green with dark green trimmings.

George Wise and wife have returned from a visit to their son, Dwight M, Wise, at Gardiner. They also visited their niece at Richmond.

August will be vacation month in the Congregational church. The Sunday evening prayer-meetings will be maintained during the vacation.

Saturday afternoon, the base-ball boys went to Mechanic Falls and played the shoe factory team of that town, getting defeated by 9 to 8 and they blame the umpire for it.

Edwin N. Haskell is taking his vacation from the store of N. Dayton Bolster & Co., where he is the "Co." Don Bean says that he expects his vacation in about four weeks.

Emma Haskell is visiting her cousin, Mary Rideout in Lewiston. Miss Rideout was here several days of last week, coming with Mrs. Dora B. Greene who had been visiting relatives in Auburn.

Ulysses G. Wheeler, superintendent of schools in Wakefield, Mass., came to town, last week, for a visit to his brother, Pierce E. Wheeler. This week, he and his nephew, Alton C. Wheeler, are taking a bicycle and fishing trip to Milan, N. H., via Albany and Mason.

Wilber L. Farrar is repainting his residence on High street.

The little Tribou girl is now rapidly gaining in health and strength.

Rev. Prof. Lucien M. Robinson of Philadelphia is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Wallace Ryerson.

The Juvenile Mission Band of the Baptist church had a picnic at Penley's grove, Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. Horatio Woodbury has recovered from his recent severe sickness sufficiently to go to Portland on a visit.

William D. Clark has his house foundation on Gothic street extension all completed and timber work begun.

Fred C. Briggs visited his folks in town over Sunday. He is a traveling salesman for Henry W. Goodwin of Boston.

Ira Murch expects, in the near future, to entertain the survivors of the Company in which he fought during the Civil War.

There is much talk of a base ball tournament here, this month, but nothing definite. There seems to be no desirable date.

George Brooks and Joseph Tirrien, two drunks from Rumford Falls, are the latest arrivals at the jail. Each will spend thirty days here.

Little frogs are numerous. Wednesday afternaon I counted twenty-seven on the sidewalks in South Paris, and it seems as if all were less than half an inch long.

A few boys here went out stealing cucumbers and then destroyed the vines. The boys were caught and the matter adjusted in such a way to make the youngsters pretty repentant.

There is nothing of importance to report on the library question. South Paris Library Association has just received from J. Frank Howland a donation of a valuable lot of magazines.

Henry Merrill, Frank Bonney, Harold Hebbard, Louise Bryant, Olive Swett, Ruth Stearns, Florence Richardson and Maud Carter are guests of Barry Locke of West Paris at the Locke cottage by South pond near Locke's Mills.

Thursday morning, Alnozo E. Shurtleff took possession of his property, the big grain mill on the river, and is prepared to enjoy life there. He has Rodney N. Hall still working as the miller there, and George M. Elder on the team.

Several of the people between here and Paris Hill have put up mail boxes for delivery from the stage by the driver. That is getting to be a common thing along stage routes, and is a development of the postal facilities which is encouraged by the government. Those taking advantage of the stage route to to Paris Hill for that purpose are getting two mails a day.

Mrs. Paul Higgins has a new way of mounting pictures. She lays one flat on the bottom of a tin pan, face down, and then pours a half-inch of plaster of Paris over it. When it has set, it is found all nice and smooth, and the plaster furnishes a good background for decorating with the brush. Some fine effects are produced in that way. Photographs and some lithographs are easily handled in that way.

PORTER DISTRICT.—Mrs. J. J. Holmes and daughter Sadie of Lynn, Mass., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Felton.

M. E. Cummings is making extensive repairs in his barn before harvesting his hay.

Mina Greely and Lucy Barrows visited Mrs. J. L. Bridgham in the King district, this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Hammond and daughter Charlotte of Portland is spending the summer with Mrs. E. L. Porter.

B. M. Greely lost a two-year-old heifer, last week, in the pasture of Henry Brooks in Greenwood. It got into a muck hole.

Mrs. Sadie Courtland and little son of Portland spent last week with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Cummings. Mr. Courtland came up, Sunday, to accompany them home.

EAST STONEHAM.

Mrs. Addie Herrick and son are in town.

Gertrude Butters is at home since graduating.

Mrs. Myrtie Stearns is on a visit to relatives in town.

Sidney Littlefield and wife visited relatives in town, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Stearns were in town recently visiting relatives.

Mrs. Callie Bicknell has recovered from the effects of her accident so to be out but is still quite lame.

Buleberries are said to be quite plenty. The weather has been cool for several days. Some of the farmers are about done haying.

Bartlett & Son are occupying their new store and are having the old store taken down. An old landmark will thus vanish to be seen no more.

Leon Allen, we are told, has bought a farm in Waterford and moved to his new possession a short time ago. Melvin Allen and family are to remain on the home farm with their mother, Mrs. Lucy Allen.

An elderly lady died at the residence of Simon Grover, a few days since, and her remains were taken to Groveton, N. H. This lady was an invalid and had been at Mr. Grover's about three months. She was a great sufferer and her sister was with her at the last of her sickness.

Levi McAllister had the misfortune to lose a nice pair of yearling steers a few days ago. From what cause I do not know. They were well matched and he was justly proud of them and had taken great pains with them. It appeared like some disease and there were but two or three days between their deaths.

WEST LOVELL.

Some of the farmers are already done haying.

Mr. Smith will leave his cottage on Kezar lake, next Wednesday, with his family.

G. H. Wentworth of East Conway was through the place, Saturday, after lambs for the Conway market.

Mrs. Charles Evirs and two sons, Howard and Raymond, with her mother, Mrs. H. B. McAllister, visited Mrs. Joan McAllister and family, one day last week.

BETHEL.

May Wiley is visiting in Portland.

Dr. F. B. Tuell and family are visiting in Sumner.

Della Ridlon of West Paris is visiting friends here.

Mrs. O. M. Mason visited in Berlin, N. H., last week.

Lillian Grover of Brockton, Mass., is visiting here.

George B. Farnsworth has returned from "The Pan."

Mrs. Edwin C. Rowe is confined to the house by sickness.

George E. King was at home from Cupsuptic to spend Sunday.

John Preston True of Boston is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. G. Gehring.

Grace Carter is visiting the family of Dr. Hamlin of Bangor at Paris Hill.

Ellery C. Park and family and Joan Stearns are rusticating at Peaks Island.

Ethel Sanborn is bookkeeper at the Crawford House, Jefferson Highlands, N. H.

Dr. and Mrs. Gardiner L. Sturdivant spent Sunday with her folks at Brunswick.

Mrs. Caroline Waters of Randolph, N. H., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. Holt.

The Universalist people will have an "Old Maid's Convention," next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Laura Roberts and son of Lynn, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Capen.

Mrs. Charles Dinsmore of Gloucester, is the proud mother of a son. She was formerly Hannah Estes.

Edward Douglass has been up from Rumford Falls to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglass.

Samuel L. Moore died in Bethel where he has lived for the past year, early on Wednesday morning, July 24. The remains were taken to St. Johnsbury, Vt., where the deceased was a resident for a long time, for interment. Mr. Moore was about 54 years of age and was born in Gorham, N. H. He leaves besides a widow, a brother and sister, Charles Moore and Mrs. Louis Miller, both of New York. He was also a brother of the late Mrs. T. W. Buck of Gorham, N. H. He was a member of Glen Lodge of Odd Fellows.

WEST SUMNER.

H. T. Heath and wife were at West Paris, Monday.

J. A. Tuell sold one of his horses to Clarence Johnson.

We notice H. L. Ryerson and son of South Paris on our streets.

Chester G. Bisbee from Rumford Falls is visiting acquaintances here.

Hiram Pulsifer of South Paris was in our place, last Monday, on business.

F. R. McLaughlin shod thirteen horses besides doing two other jobs, July 29.

L. L. Gardiner and wife visited relatives in Buckfield one day, last week.

Ella Ames from Rumford Falls is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Fannie Lothrop.

Mamie Moody and a little girl from Hebron came to her uncle's, R. N. Stetson's, Tuesday night.

Mrs. L. E. Pulsifer has been to South Paris visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Pulsifer.

Dr. J. H. Bates of Rochester, N. H., made a short visit, this week, to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bates.

Mrs. Ethel (Heald) McDonald of Massachusetts and a lady friend visited acquaintances here two days, last week.

Mrs. Hiram Howe has returned from Rumford Falls bringing her two grandchildren, Ralph and Hattie Merrill, with her.

Prof. C. B. Stetson and family came, July 29, to spend a portion of his vacation with his mother and brother, Mrs. Adeline Stetson and Rollin N. Stetson.

Madge and Ivan, children of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tuell of West Paris, visited relatives here, a few days, and enjoyed playing with their little cousins very much.

Rev. John E. Berry, wife and two children from Manchester, N. H., are visiting his mother at the old home. He is to preach here in the Baptist church, Aug. 4, at 3.30 p. m.

A few names for your list of educators of the Sumner boys:

W. Stanwood Field, principal of grammar school in Brookline, Mass. He left Braintree, a year ago.
Rev. John E. Berry, pastor at Montgomery, Vt.
Rev. Henry A. Abbott, pastor at Girard, Penn.
J. H. Bates, M. D., Rochester, N. H.
Rev. Henry Berry, pastor in Chicago.
C. B. Stetson, professor of Greek at Exeter, N. H.
Harland M. Bisbee, teacher at Brewer.

We were recently told by a member of one of the families of a happening which we think not very common. Earl Maynard Dunham, born July 4, 1901, is the first child and son of Clifton E. Dunham, a merchant of this place. Mr. Dunham is the eldest son of Hiram W. Dunham, merchant at North Paris, who is the eldest son of Samuel W. Dunham of West Paris, for some years a merchant at North Paris. He is the eldest son of the late Sylvanus Dunham, who was a successful farmer of North Paris. Thus we see the eldest to be a son for four generations.

HARBOR.

Edwin Pray is haying with his team for F. N. Frye.

Elmer Brackett is at home from his long trip on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keefe were in the place, Sunday, the 21st.

Mrs. Doughty recently entertained one of her lady schoolmates.

Mrs. H. F. Thompson has sold her farm and stock to her son Roscoe and she will move to Mrs. Adams' house at the Center.

The Happy Go Lucky quartette have had another camping spell. This time they camped at Stoneham and went blueberrying, found plenty of blueberries and had a splendid time. Several of the men here went to Stoneham blueberrying also, last week.

EAST FRYEBURG.

George Hill is at work for Elmer Harnden.

Perley Wentworth is at work for Jesse S. Brown.

Mary Ramsdell is visiting her friends, Lulu and Eva Harnden.

Mrs. Murray Richardson and niece returned to Massachusetts, July 26, after a visit of several weeks at Mrs. Edwin Smith's.

Mrs. Herbert Pendexter returned to East Fryeburg, July 21, after a visit of several weeks at her sister's, Mrs. Walter Willey's of Fryeburg.

Maud, the youngest daughter of Gilbert Warren, died in Portland, July 21. Her remains were taken to Denmark for burial. She leaves a husband, one brother and eight sisters to mourn their loss.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

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A Hint to Maidens.

Oh, a wife who has no temper
A man must yearn to beat,
And one who's too confiding
He's almost sure to cheat;
If she forgets her just deserts,
(Self-abnegation sweet.)
Why, he forgets them also,
And his joy is quite complete.
But if she's blessed with temper,
He forgets his strength and might;
If she's jealous or suspicious,
He sees just where she's right;
While if she thinks of self alone,
Forgets his comfort quite,
And preserves her bloom and freshness,
Looks young and fair and bright,
He lifts up his voice and boasteth
That his wife is "out of sight."
CORA M. W. GREENLEAF.

Written for the Advertiser.

While the Sun Shines.

"Make hay while the sun shines,"
Begin with the day,
Ere dew on the blossoms
Has melted away;
When in the noontide heat
We have grown weary,
Bravely our task to meet,
Keep sweet and cheery.
"Make hay while the sun shines,"
With earnest endeavor,
All through the summer days
Toiling together;
In the cool evening-time,
When day is over,
Dreams of green meadows
And sweet scented clover.
"Make hay while the sun shines,"
Some day, soon or late,
Storm clouds will gather,
Then we must wait;
Now, while the skies are blue,
Gold sunlight streaming,
Let us be glad to *do*,
Nor pause for dreaming.
In green, sunny fields,
As we journey along,
Some one who is sad
May be cheered by our song;
'Twill surely be better,
Whoever we meet,
To "make hay while the sun shines,"
And always keep sweet.
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Self Support in College.

Many a Girl Earns Money While Studying to Pay for Her Academic Training.

If ever the doubt existed regarding the desire of women for liberal education, it has long been dispelled by the sacrifices that many are making for the sake of availing themselves of the present day opportunities. Before commencement day arrived many a girl from schools all over the land had hurried to the scene of her summer's work, where she will earn the means to eke out the next year's expenses. Such toilers may be found in summer hotels, on lake steamers, in private homes and many other places where a woman's work is wanted. Most of those who expect to pay their way through college by their own exertions have laid by a sufficient sum before entering to insure their tuition for the entire course, and a part, at least, of their living expenses during that time.

Whether it is possible for any ambitious girl to obtain a college education is a question upon which educators differ. In all institutions there are students who outdistance in quality and amount of work the rank and file of their classes, but for the ordinary girl the way is undoubtedly a difficult one. The limit to physical strength is usually reached with the school work.

Upon this subject Miss Mary E. Woolley, president of Mt. Holyoke, said to a Tribune reporter:

"It is my opinion that if a girl with average intelligence and energy wishes a college education she can obtain it. As far as I know, the girls who have earned money to pay their way through college, at least in part, have accomplished it by tutoring, type-writing and stenography. Some of them are earning pin money while in college by tutoring, type-writing, sewing, summer work in libraries and offices, and in various little ways such as putting up lunches, taking care of rooms, executing commissions and newspaper work. There are not many opportunities at Mount Holyoke to earn large amounts of money, but pin money may be acquired by a girl of ingenuity in many little ways."

"Jacob G. Schurman, the president of Cornell, differs from Miss Woolley. He says: "I should not be prepared to say that any girl of average intelligence and energy can obtain a college education if she wants it. Women's work is so poorly paid that it is hard for her to save. Besides it is difficult for a girl to find work while she is studying. At the same time many women do wholly or partly depend on themselves to pay their own way. Usually, however, they have friends by whom funds are loaned to cover the first year's expenses. Then the students leave to teach for one, two or more years, saving what they can and returning from year to year as it is possible. I have known one of these women to take ten years to complete a four years' course."

President Barrows of Oberlin, is convinced that most girls of average intelligence and energy can obtain a college education if they strongly desire it. He says: "I suppose that a fourth of the girls in Oberlin college to-day are doing something to support themselves or are using money that they earned before coming. It is usually funds obtained by teaching before entering the institution or during the vacations that help the college girl."

The number of girls in the University of Michigan who are paying their own way is large. "Most of them," says Dr. Eliza M. Mosher, woman's dean of the college, "have earned the money by teaching. It is not unusual for students to come here for two years and then go away for a time, in order to earn some money to complete the course. Some of our most worthy graduates have done this. Some lighten their expenses by waiting on tables in boarding houses, thus paying for their board. Others get room and board in the houses of professors by giving three hours of service about the house daily. A few take care of children two or three hours daily in the homes of the faculty. One young woman, who is especially brave and in good earnest worked as chambermaid on a lake steamer last year and hurried away this year to do the same. It is her aim to earn $100. With this sum and a chance to pay for room and board by giving service, she will pay the coming year's expenses. Because it is especially difficult to obtain good servants in this inland town, there are a few people who are glad to give the college girls such employment. It is not easy, however, to carry full college work and earn a living besides. More than one who has attempted it has failed in her college work from lack of time and physical endurance. We advise girls to earn their money before coming here rather than take college time for it. Men are better able than they to do both.

At Barnard, or any other city college, except a free one, a girl would find it impossible probably to pay all her expenses and carry her college work at the same time. Board and lodging cost more than in the country, while street-car fares and other inevitables of city life eat rapidly into a small income. A number of girls in Barnard are, however, paying for their clothes, books, carfares, etc., by doing what work they can find. Tutoring in Barnard is seldom available for the undergraduates because the lists are always full of experienced teachers who can be engaged by the hour. Type-writing is one of the favorite resources. One student has done particularly well as an agent for a firm that makes college caps and gowns. Another girl, a Russian Jewess, from the lower East side, runs a little "sweat shop" where she keeps a number of women busy making women's wrappers and children's dresses. She has paid all the expenses of her educatoin in this way. Most of the students there who are obliged to depend on themselves were teachers for several years before entering and find their studies all they are physically able to endure.

At the Normal college a number of the girls are entirely self-supporting. One of them, a girl who ranked among the highest in the city Superintendent's report, last year, earned more than necessary expenses tutoring. An admirabie student in all respects, she prepared her lessons for the following day in two and one-half hours, and spent three and one-half hours five days a week, besides all day Saturday helping backward students at $1 an hour. Two other girls, Russian Jewesses, worked every afternoon from 3 until 7 o'clock, making men's neckties, and giving the remaining part of the evening to their studies. Regarding these self-supporting students Dr. Hunter says:

"The college work of these girls is sometimes better done than by others who are favored in every way by having educated parents, libraries and their own quiet rooms in which to study."

Dr. Hunter stated that the health of girls who are doing double work is watched anxiously, but that it is most unusual for girls to break down, those who are unable to bear the strain seldom undertaking it. A number of other students are entirely or partially taking care of themselves in various other ways. Russian Jewess girls are conspicuous in all the public institutions of learning of this city, because of their ambition and physical endurance. Referring to this fact, Dr. Hunter said:

"It is the determination of the people in the southeast part of the city to get an education at all hazards. They are more ambitious, more strenuous and more ignorant than other immigrants. What inspires them to make these efforts I do not fully know. I rather suspect that the inspiration comes from the Educational Alliance on East Broadway. These girls can do the double work better than the others, I am led to believe, because they are well and strong. I am of the opinion that their inherent strength is racial."

At the Hebrew Alliance, Miss Lindner who has charge of the women's claases and clubs, stated that a number of the girls who have come under her tuition are earning money for the college education. One began as a shop girl, taught in night schools and has been known to study till morning. It is her aim to help the people of her race. Another has done housework, taking places as chambermaid, assisting at dinners and making herself useful when people were giving receptions. She is doing exceptional work in one of the big colleges now and spends her vacations as chambermaid.

In many colleges there is opportunity for the girl with taste and cunning fingers, to act as dressmaker, repairer and general refurbisher to students with generous allowances. The reign of the shirt waist has been a boon for many such, for the well dressed girl was never known to have enough pretty ones, and she is easily tempted by a judicious display of attractive samples to enlarge her supply. Then, too, any girl who is at all deft in the art of sewing can make a shirt waist without a professional knowledge of cutting and fitting. Since the pedestrian skirt has been so much worn the rebinding of skirts has ceased to be the unfailing resource that it was formerly. But stockings, shoe buttons, rips and rents are left to be restored to condition, and a gift for tying fetching bows, "smarting up" a hat and making pretty stocks and neckgear remain to bring in the pennies. Girls who paint and embroider prettily, and especially those with some inventive genius, sometimes find their spare hours filled with orders for Christmas, birthday and holiday gifts. Then, too, there are the gymnasium, and in some places the swimming suits to be made, and in this realm many a college girl wins popularity.

The colored young women of the South, who must depend solely upon their own exertions to obtain an education, are compelled to overcome almost insurmountable difficulties. These people have made much material progress since the war, but they are yet very poor and comparatively few parents can help their children through academies and universities.

President Meserve of Shaw University founded in 1865 for the education of the freedmen, says: "The majority of young men in our college and professional departments pay their way by their own exertions. They go north during the long summer vacations, and find steady and remunerative employment as porters on parlor or sleeping cars, on steamers, and as waiters in summer hotels. But during the summer months the colored young woman has no opportunity for self help. Those living in the country help their parents to raise a crop. After they have gained sufficient education to pass the country examination they obtain positions to teach school. The salary paid, however, is low, and as the country school is usually open only during the winter months, the teacher is thrown out of employment during the summer. There are examples of heroic sacrifices among our young women, many of whom have endured numerous hardships to spend even a year at Shaw. Some of these come one year and are, perhaps out for two succeeding ones, before resuming their studies.—[New York Tribune.

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Written for the Advertiser.

As in a Looking-Glass.

A little girl of four years was carefully crossing the street with her skirts raised to a great height to keep them from being soiled from contact with the dust and dirt.

"What are you holding up your dress like that for?" asked a looker-on. "It's more than a foot from the ground, anyway."

"Vat's th' way ladies go," was the reply.

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There is probably more real ignorance among people of all classes as to what is in the Bible and what it teaches than any other book, notwithstanding the fact that it is in nearly every household, and most have read it and heard it expounded from childhood. A man supposed to be highly educated recently met a little boy trudging home from Sabbath school with his books and papers. "What are you studying, my little man, the Epistles by the Romans?"

"No, sir," answered the boy, looking the man proudly in the eye, "Paul wrote the Epistle to the Romans."

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Walking on the street, the other day, we heard the following:—

"Mamma, what's that horse got a hat on for?"

"That's to protect him from the sun, my dear, and make him more comfortable. There is a wet sponge in the top of the bonnet to keep his head cool and prevent sunstroke."

The little fellow thought it over a few moments, when he saw some young ladies and gents coming along bareheaded. "Say, mamma," said he, "won't they get sunstroke? Are they stronger than the horses?"

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A mite of a chap was seen swaggering along with a candy cigar in his mouth. Every few steps, he would remove it from his mouth and spit with great gusto. "My child," said an aged gentleman, "what are you doing?"

"By ——, I'm bein' a man," lisped the baby lips.

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She had been to church only a few times and though she did not understand much that was said, still it was something new and she enjoyed going. Vacation time came. She insisted on going, even when she was told the minister had gone out of town.

"I ain't going to see the minister. I'm going to Dod's house to see Dod. Put on my new dress."

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Solitary Meal Causes Dyspepsia.

There are some few happily disposed individuals who can dine alone and not eat too fast, nor too much nor too little. With the majority it is different. The average man puts his novel or his paper before him and thinks that he will lengthen out the meal with due deliberation by reading a little with, and more between, the courses. He will just employ his mind enough to help, and too little to interfere with, digestion. In fact, he will provide that gentle mental accompaniment which with happier people conversation gives to a meal. This is your solitary's excellent idea.

In reality he becomes engrossed in what he is reading, till suddenly finding his chop cold he demolishes it in a few mouthfuls; or else he finds that he is hungry, and, paying no attention to the book, which he flings aside, he rushes through his food as fast as possible, to plunge into his armchair and literature afterward. In either case the lonely man must digest at a disadvantage.

For due and easy nutrition food should be slowly taken and the mind should not be intensely exercised during the process. Every one knows that violent bodily exercise is bad just after a meal, and mental exertion is equally so. Wise people do not even argue during or just after dinner, and observation of after-dinner speeches will convince any one that most speakers neither endure themselves nor excite in their hearers any severe intellectual effort.

In fact, the experience of countless generations, from the Red Indian of the woods to the white-shirted diners of a party, has perpetuated the lesson that a man should not eat alone, not think much at this time, but should talk and be talked to while he feeds. Most people do not think much when they talk, and talking is a natural accompaniment of eating and drinking."

Women, we are told, fare even worse than men when obliged to make a solitary meal. A man may generally be trusted to take food enough, even if alone; but a woman is less inclined to realize the gross necessities of evistence, therefore when doomed to dine alone she often does not dine at all. She gets dyspepsia because her digestion has not sufficient practice; a man gets it because his functions practice it too often in the wrong way.

Worst of all, perhaps, is the case of the solitary cook. These women, whose main occupation is to prepare food for others, find it impossible to enjoy, or even to take, food themselves. As confectioners are said to give their apprentices a free run of the stock of the shop for the first few days, knowing that it will effectually cure appetite afterward, so the women who are always occupied with buying and preparing food grow unable to use it for themselves. These people suffer from dyspepsia, which is cured if somebody else manages their kitchen for a week, allowing them to take meals without preparing them.

It needs no moralist to declare the evils of solitariness. Man and woman is a gregarious animal. Physically and intellectually we improve with companionship. Certainly it is not good to eat and to drink alone. It is a sad fact of our big cities that they hold hundreds of men and women who in the day are busy and at night too lonely to feed with profit, much less with any pleasure.—[The Literary Digest.

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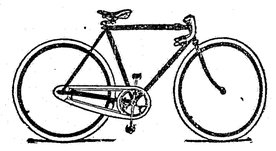
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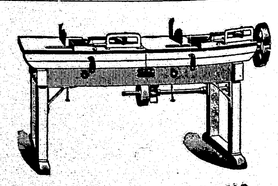
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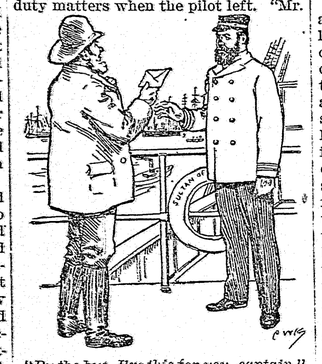
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From the very outset the voyage of the Sultan of Labuan was unpropitious. Before she was clear of the Usk it was found that three more of her crew had managed to slip ashore and so were gone beyond replacement. While she was still in the brown, muddy waters of the Bristol channel there were several breakdowns in the engine room which necessitated stoppages and anxious repairs. The engines of the Sultan of Labuan were her weak spot, for otherwise her hull was sound enough. But these machines were old and wasteful in steam and made all the difference in economy which divides a profit from a loss in these modern days of fierce sea competition.

With Murgatroyd, the old blue faced mate, Kettle had been shipmates before, and there existed between the two men a strong dislike and a certain mutual esteem. They interviewed over duty matters when the pilot left. "Mr.



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Murgatroyd," said the little skipper, "you'll keep hatches off and do everything for ventilation. This Welsh coal's as gassy as petroleum."

"Aye, aye," rambled the mate. "But how about when heavy weather comes and the decks are full of water?"

"You'll have fresh orders from me before then. Get your hoses to work now and sluice down. The ship's a pigsty."

"Aye, aye. But the hands are dog tired."

"Then it's your place to drive them. I should have thought you'd been long enough at sea to know that. But if you aren't up to your business, just say, and I'll swap you over with the second mate right now."

The old mate's face grew purple. "If you want a driver," he said, "you shall have one." And with that he went his way and roused the tired deckhands to work after the time honored methods.

But if Captain Kettle did not spare his crew he was equally hard on himself. He was at sea now and wearing his seagoing conscience, which was an entirely different piece of mental mechanism from that which regulated his actions ashore. He had received Mr. Gedge's precise instructions to run the coalboat in the ordinary method, and he intended to do it relentlessly and to the letter. He had had his doubts about Mr. Gedge's real wishes before, and even the episode of Miss Payne, the typewriter, had not altogether deceived him, but the second letter from "Well Wisher" which the pilot brought on board cleared the matter up beyond a doubt. There was not the faintest chance that Gedge had written that; there was not the faintest reason to disbelieve now that Gedge wished his uneconomical steamboat off his hands and had arranged for her never again to come into port.

Now, properly approached—say with sealed orders to be opened only at sea—I think there is very little doubt that Captain Kettle would have undertaken to carry out this piece of nefarious business himself. The average mariner thinks no more of "making the insurance pay" than the average traveler does of robbing his fellow countrymen by the importation of Belgian cigars and Tauchnitz novels from the channel packet. And with Kettle, too, loyalty to an employer, so long as that employer treated him squarely, ranked high. But for a second time "Well Wisher" had repeated the word "catspaw," and for his purpose he could not have used a better spur.

The little captain's face grew grim as he read it. "By James," he muttered, "if that's the game he's trying to play I'll make him rue it!"

However, though at the beginning of a voyage it may be easy to make a resolve like this, it is not so easy to carry into practical effect. If the machinery was on board, human or otherwise, for making the Sultan of Labuan fail to reach port, it was not at all probable that Kettle would find it before he saw it in working order. When arrangements for a bit of barratry of this kind are gone about nowadays, they are performed with shrewdness. Your ingenious gentleman who makes a devil of a clockwork and gun cotton to blow out a steamer's bottom or makes a compact with one of her crew to open the bilge cocks is dexterous enough to cover up his trail very completely, having a wholesome awe of the law of the land and a large distaste for penal servitude.

Moreover, Owen Kettle was not the man to receive gratuitous information on such a point from his underlings. To begin with, he was the Sultan of Labuan's captain, and by the immemorial etiquette of the sea a ship's captain is always a man socially apart. He is a dictator for the time being, with supreme power of life and death, is addressed as "sir" and would be regarded with social awe and coldness by his own brother if the said brother were on board as one of the mates or one of the assistant engineers. With the chief engineer alone, although he does not sit at meat with him, may a merchant captain unbend, and with the chief of the Sultan of Labuan Kettle had picked a difference over a commission on bunkering not ten minutes after he had first stepped on board. He had the undoubted knack of commanding men; he could look exactly after his employer's property, but he had an unfortunate habit of making himself hated in the process.

Over that initial episode of washing the coal grime from the ship's outer fabric he had already come into intimate contact with his crew. The tired deckhands had refused duty. Clumsy old Murgatroyd had endeavored to force them into it by the time honored methods and had been knocked down in the scuffle and trampled on, when up came Kettle, already spruce and clean, and laid impartially into the whole grimy gang of them with a deck scrubber. They were new to their little skipper's virtues and thought at first that they would treat him as they had already treated the fat old mate, and as a consequence bleeding faces and cracked heads were plentiful, and curses went up, bitter and deep, in half the tongues of Europe. But Kettle still remained spruce and clean and aggressive and untouched.

It takes some art to thoroughly thrash a dozen savage full grown men with a light broom without breaking the stick or knocking off the head, and the crew of the Sultan of Labuan were not slow to recognize their captain's ability. But at the same time they were not inspired with any overpowering love for him. In the course of that night an iron belaying pin whisked up out of the darkness and knocked off his cap as he stood on the upper bridge, and just before the dawn a chunk of coal whizzed up and smashed itself into splinters on the wheelhouse wall not an inch from his ear. But as Captain Kettle replied to the first of these compliments by three prompt revolver shots almost before the thrower had time to think and rushed out and caught his second assailant by the neck scruff and forced him to eat every scrap of coal that had been thrown the all nation crew decided that he was too ugly to tackle usefully and tacitly agreed to let him alone for the future and to do their lawful work, the which, of course, was exactly what Kettle desired.

By this time the Sultan of Labuan had run down the Cornish coast, had rounded Land's End and was standing off on a course which would make Finistere her next landfall. The glass was sinking steadily. The seascape was made up of blacks and whites and lurid grays; but, though the air was cold and raw, the weather was not any worse than need have been expected for the time of year. The hatches were off, and a good strong smell of coal gas billowed up from below and mingled with the sea scents.

With all a northern sailor's distrust for a "dago," Kettle had spotted his spruce young Italian second mate as Gedge's probable tool and watched him like the apple of his eye. No man's actions could have been more innocent and normal, and this, of course, made things all the more suspicious. The engineer staff, who had access to bilge cocks and could arrange disasters to machinery, were likewise ex officio suspicious persons, but as it was quite impossible to overlook them at all hours and on all occasions he had regretfully to take them very largely on trust.

Blundering, incompetent old Murgatroyd, the mate, was the only man on board in whose honesty Kettle had the least faith, simply because he considered him too stupid to be intrusted with any operation so delicate as barratry, and to Murgatroyd he more or less confided his intentions.

"I hear there's a scheme on board to scuttle this steamboat," he said, "because she's too expensive to run. Well, Mr. Gedge, the owner, gave me orders to run her, and he told me he made a profit on her. I'm going by Mr. Gedge's words, and I'm going to take her to Port Said. And let me tell you this: If she stops anywhere on the road and goes down, all hands go down with



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her, even if I have to shoot them myself. So they'd better hear what's in the wind and have a chance to save their own skins. You understand what I mean?"

"Aye," grunted the mate.

"Well, just let word of it slip out—in the right way, you understand."

"Aye, aye. Hadn't we better get them hatches on and battened down? She's shipping it green pretty often now, and the weather's worsening. There's a good slop of water getting down below, and they say it's all the bilge pumps can do to keep it under."

"Mrs. Meddle Murgatroyd," Kettle snapped, "are you master of this blame ship, or am I? You leave me to give my orders when I think fit, and get down off this bridge."

"Aye," grunted the mate and waddled clumsily down below.

The old man's suggestion about the hatches had touched upon a sore point. Kettle knew quite well that it was dangerous to leave the great gaps in the decks undefended by planking and tarpaulin. A high sea was running, and the heavily laden coalboat rode both deep and sodden. Already he had put her a point and a half to westward of her course, so as to take the oncoming seas more fairly on the bow.

But still he hung on to the open hatches. The coal below was gassy to a degree, and if the ventilation was stopped it would be terribly liable to explosion. The engine and boiler rooms were bulkheaded off and there was no danger from these, but the subtle coal gas would spread over all the rest of the vessel's living quarters—as the smell hinted—and a carelessly lit match might very comfortably send the whole of her decks hurtling into the air. Kettle had no wish to meet Mr. Gedge's unspoken wishes by an accident of this sort.

To be continued.

Fryeburg-on-the-Saco.

Work in the several departments of the summer school goes on steadily from day to day, interest and attendance being equally well sustained.

Annie McKenzie prepared an exhibition of the work her pupils have been doing along the line of physical training. It was given on Saturday evening. Normal Hall was fitted as a gymnasium, and a fine set of appliances furnished.

Miss Miller, supervisor of penmanship in Springfield, Mass., schools, has a large class in the natural system of vertical writing. Elizabeth Hanscome gave a fine lecture on Macbeth. Miss A. L. Stockbridge, teacher of music in the schools of Yarmouth, is studying with Miss Hoar, and Ernestine Harding of Milford, Mass., joined Mr. Hay's class in vocal music. Olive Hayes, a teacher in the Butler school, Portland, and Jessie Kimball of Hiram have joined the school.

At the conclusion of the School of Methods, on July 29, the School of Theology opened under the charge of Rev. Thomas Chalmers. Clergymen from different parts of New England will be present. During this school, there will be a series of evening entertainments and concerts.

One day of Old Home week is to be set apart as Academy day. Addresses will be made by former teachers and graduates. One of the speakers will be William Winship of New York, formerly of Cornish.

Friday evening, the 26th, Prof. Taylor read from Shakespeare. Monday evening, the Grecian Art Tableaux Company made their first appearance.

Mrs. Charles Evans of Fryeburg has opened her cottage and will spend August on the grounds. Mrs. Hanscome and Elizabeth Hanscome contribute largely to the social side of life here, keeping open doors and dispensing hospitality at their cottage near the hotel. At the close of the school they will go to Jackson, N. H., where they will remain until Miss Hanscom returns to her duties at Smith College, where she is professor of literature.

Sarah Locke, instructor in Latin in Fryeburg Academy, is a member of Professor White's class in that department here.

Eleven days of continuous fair weather, with showers coming obligingly at night, is the record up to Saturday night. Class work of all sorts, when practicable, is done in open air.

Prof. White spoke upon algebra in grammar school work, presenting a clear outline and adding excellent methods in carrying on the study. The subject for his lecture for Monday morning was Geometry.

Miss Hanscom gave a lecture on "The Tempest" before a large audience, Saturday.

All class work in the school closed on Monday. There was an exhibit of work done in drawing and color by the members of Miss Wilson's class. The situation of the school, with a river and mountain background, has made interesting work for all who are artistically inclined.

Kate Russell, teacher in Castine Normal school, is a member of the History class.

Mrs. Lyman Abbott gave a reception to members of the faculty and attending students on the river bank near her cottage, "The Retreat," Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Potter, of Portland arrived, Saturday, and will spend some time here.

Theodore H. Johnson of Portland spent Saturday on the grounds. Mr. Johnson was one of the pioneers in the establishment of an assembly here.

William Knight of Fall River, Mass., arrived, Saturday, to study in the School of Theology, which opened, Wednesday.

Mrs. Alexander Kleberg and son are guests of Mrs. Ernest Hamlin Abbott.

Mrs. John E. Wadsworth of Skowhegan was a recent visitor at the school.

Mrs. Alice Gray Teele of Cambridge gave her second lecture on Thursday evening, the subject being "A New England Woman in Paris." The lecture was illustrated.

A timely lecture on the "Philippines" will be given, August 9, by Peter MacQueen, M. A.

George F. Lawley of Boston, the well known yacht builder, and Mrs. Lawley are at the Oxford.

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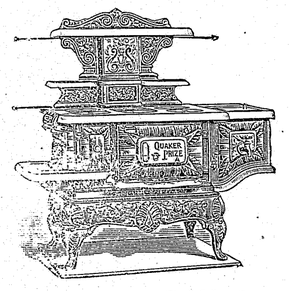
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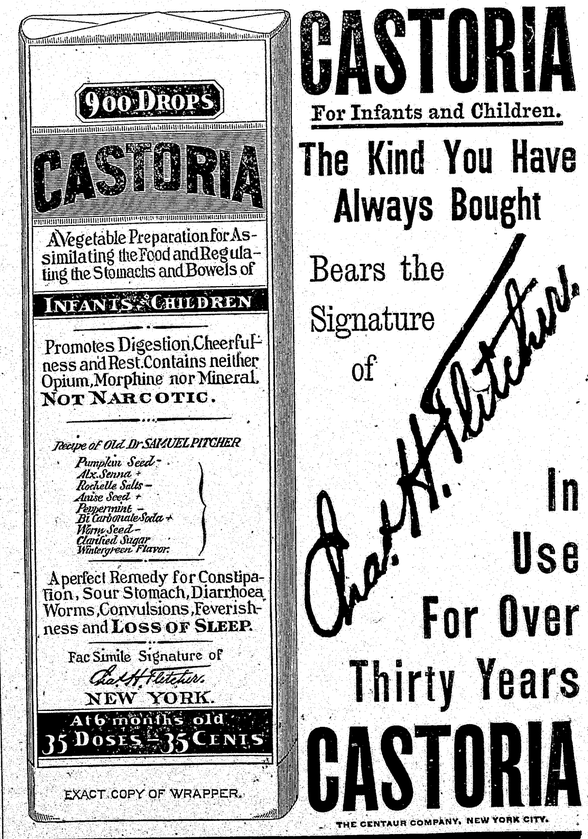


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Aug. 8—Reunion of 1-10-29 Regimental Association, Long Island, Portland harbor.
Aug. 10-17—Old Home week.
Aug. 12-24—Northern New England Chautauqua assembly, Fryeburg.
Aug. 13—Hartford Custard Pie Association, Swan pond.
Aug. 14—Twenty-first Maine Volunteer Infantry reunion, Waterville.
Aug. 15—Field day of Maine State Grange, Brunswick.
Aug. 17—Dedication of Zadoc Long Memorial Library, Buckfield.
Aug. 18—Universalist grove meeting, Lake Anasagunticook, Canton.
Aug. 20-22—Ossipee Valley fair, Cornish.
Aug. 24—Grange field day, Norway.
Aug. 26-Sept. 2—Campmeeting, Empire grove.
Aug. 26-31—Bible school, Fryeburg.
Aug. 29—Twenty-third Maine Regimental Association, Bethel.
Aug. 31-Sept. 2—Maine Association of Deaf Mutes, South Paris.
Sept. 3-6—Maine State fair, Lewiston.
Sept. 10-12—Fair at Riverside Park, Bethel.
Sept. 17-19—Oxford County fair, Norway and South Paris.
Sept. 20-21—Oxford County Teachers' Association, Bethel.
Sept. 23-26—Maine Congregational conference, Bangor.
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Oct. 2-3—Oxford North fair, Andover.
Oct. 7-9—Fifth Maine music festival, Portland.
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South Paris postmaster gets an increase in salary from $1,400 to $1,500; Rumford Falls from $1,600 to $1,800.

Edwin Hinkley of Auburn is on his vacation in Poland, where he will remain two weeks, after which he will spend two weeks in Gilead, hunting and fishing.

The Abner D. Thorne pardon case was put over till the August meeting of the Governor and Council, because one of the councilors was absent from the July meeting and the others would not act without the presence of a full board.

F. E. Carpenter, formerly of East Bethel and North Lovell but for the past three or four years proprietor of the Oriental Hotel on Lisbon street in Lewiston, has leased the Rockingham Hotel of that city. Mr. Carpenter has made a success of the hotel business at the Oriental and we trust his success will follow him to the larger house and we doubt not that it will as he is wide-awake, energetic and popular.

EAST BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Quimby is at work for John Irish.

Carrie Davee has been visiting a week at Wm. Davee's.

John Irish and Solon Tuttle are both through haying.

Etta Robinson is visiting her cousin, Mrs. H. G. Davee.

Telephone poles are being set from Buckfield village to Turner village.

Bradbury Damon is up from the island cutting Walter Briggs' hay. Bradbury's family has moved on the place.

PARIS HILL.

Capt. Lyon was at Lyonsden, a few days last week.

Mrs. E. H. Jackson is visiting at Biddeford, for a week or so.

Emma Heald of Sumner Hill was the guest of Mrs. and Miss Stowe, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Greene are at Mrs. M. A. Greene's. They came from Boston on an automobile reaching Paris, Monday.

Dr. A. C. Hamlin of Bangor is at Paris. He is arranging the gems and minerals in the library. Miss Carter of Bethel is assisting him.

Bradley C. Mason, wife and child of Boston have been visiting at J. S. Mason's. Charles A. Mason, wife and little daughter of Auburn were here for a few days.

The hotels and boarding houses are well filled, The Beeches being crowded. The Hubbard House is full as well as J. L. Chase's White Mountain View House, the Union House and all the boarding houses.

The preliminary meeting of the ladies for the purpose of incorporation of the public library and museum was held at Hamlin's Memorial Hall, Tuesday afternoon. Among other plans is one to hold a fair and rummage sale some time in the latter part of August.

Hon. Sidney Perham of Paris was the second member of Congress to appoint a cadet to the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, the member from Rhode Island alone preceding him. Mr. Perham's second appointment was to Edward T. Brown, now a captain and stationed at Fort Warren, Boston Harbor. Capt. Brown is a native of Paris, the son of the late Thos. H. Brown, M. D., and often visits his mother and other relatives here.

The next entertainment of the Universalist Sunday school course will be held at the hall, Friday evening. The drama, "A Case of Suspension," will be given. Cast:

Dorothy, seminary girl.....Gertrude Brinkle
Mildred, " " Nellie Tufts
Alice, " " Mary Pierce
Harold, student of a nearby college.....Will Atwood
Tom, student of a nearby college..Leslie Bennett
Jack, " " " " Arthur Daniels
Miss Ophelia Judkins.....Lizzie Newell
Professor Emilius Edgerton.....Guy Bennett
Kathleen, a Celtic maiden.....Helen Cole
Jonas, the seminary man.....Elmer Cummings

SOUTH ALBANY.

J. F. Lord is cutting the hay on his farm here.

L. E. McIntire recently bought a cow and calf of Sawin Bros.

Mrs. Harry Sawin is spending a few days with her folks at Albany.

Bert Browne, who works for P. P. Dresser, is suffering severely from the effects of ivy poisoning.

George Abbott and E. E. French are cutting their hay together and Mr. French puts part of his into Abbott's barn and stacks a part of it.

P. P. Dresser and Maud Dresser went to Welchville, last Saturday. Miss Dresser will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Chaplin, and another sister, Mrs. Edna Sessions, of Providence, R. I., with her two children are also visiting there.

MILTON PLANTATION.

Lelia Bean is at work for Ed Bean of Woodstock.

Daphne and Alice Cole are picking berries for H. F. Maxim of Locke's Mills.

Pearl and Mark Cole of Attleboro, Mass., are visiting at their uncle's, V. D. Cole's.

F. C. Bryant and Loring Billings are marketing their new potatoes at Rumford Falls.

There was a lawn party opposite Brooks' store, last Saturday evening. A good time was reported.

Mr. Eastman of Sumner was through this place, the 24th, to see about establishing a telephone line.

Addison W. Harlow.

Mr. Harlow died at his home in Milton Plantation, Wednesday July 17, at the age of 66 years. He was a native of Turner and had lived in that town and also in Peru before settling in Milton. In Milton he had been twice elected one of the corporation assessors. He was a farmer by occupation.

The funeral was held at Turner. Rev. C. P. Kittredge officiated, and Mr. Harlow was laid to rest with his people.

Mr. Harlow was three times married, and left a wife who has one son, Master Roy Harlow. Her maiden name was Ida C. Bixby. His first wife was named Alley, and his second wife was Josephine B. Smith. He also left three other sons, Frank L., a life insurance agent at Gorham; George H. of Haverhill, Mass., and Elmer L. of Turner. One daughter died in infancy.

In religious belief Mr. Harlow was a Seventh Day Adventist and died in the faith.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

"Aunt" Joan Rolfe is staying at W. F. Clark's, a few days.

Master Howard Elliott Thurston went back to Boston with his father, last Saturday.

Mrs. Flora Elliott who has been very sick from congestion of the lungs is gaining, but is still confined to the house.

V. E. Fuller has sold two house lots to Messrs. Riley from the Falls and James Kerr is digging a cellar for one of the houses.

Mrs. Hattie Bray and little son Lewis from Auburn are visiting their uncle, M. L. Wyman, and later will visit other relatives and her old home in Peru.

Mrs. Emma Abbott Flanders from Boston and Mrs. Florett Abbott Virgin from Haverhill are making their annual visit to their old home at East Rumford.

John Hewey and family from Andover visited their sister, Mrs. Clara Bessey, the first of the week. They have an infant daughter about five weeks old.

Mrs. Cora Putnam, wife of George Elliott, passed away, Wednesday night, July 24, after an illness of over two months, from heart trouble. Besides her husband she leaves one son, Lee, and one daughter, Edith, wife of Samuel Thurston, jr., in Boston, a father and brother, William F. and William E. Putnam of Dixfield. Her daughter was not able to be with her mother during her last illness but her son-in-law came to the funeral which was Friday at 2 p. m. at the house. Rev. Manley Townsend spoke words of comfort to the sorrowing family. Interment was in the Wyman cemetery in Peru Annex. Her age was 43 years, 8 months and 26 days.

Sunday, July 28, at 2 p. m. occurred the funeral of J. Leslie Putnam, only son and child of Perley Putnam, who passed away, Friday morning, July 26, after a long illness from consumption. Leslie has suffered from childhood with ill health caused by phthisic, but has been a hard working man, having worked around the railroad depot at the Falls and with the surveyors. Several years ago he learned the trade of a taxidermist and has done a large amount of that work since when not able to work out doors. He leaves an aged grandmother, Mrs. Sylvia Bisbee, who is now left with hardly a relative of her own blood. Rev. Mr. Hoyle spoke words of comfort to the few relatives and many friends who were gathered at the house. He was a member of Lone Star Lodge at the Falls, several members being present. Interment in Wyman cemetery in Peru Annex. His age was 33 years, 4 months and 10 days.

EAST HEBRON.

Hazel DeCoster is going to Hartford to pick blueberries, this week.

Dr. N. M. Marshall and wife returned home to Portland, last Friday.

Mrs. Dr. Pierce returned to her home in Lewiston, this week, having passed several weeks with her son Frank and family.

Mrs. Hattie McGouch from Massachusetts and her little son Charles are visiting her father, Algernon Ryerson, and her sister Fronie.

Many people go on Streaked mountain and return well laden with berries. Charles DeCoster and his daughter Hazel picked one-half bushel in one day. Hazel is very swift in her work for a small girl.

Mrs. Josie Monk passed away, last Saturday morning. Funeral exercises were at her late home on Sunday at 2 p. m. She has been confined in bed for nearly one year and has been an invalid for several years. One sister survives her and two sons. Her sister, Mrs. Saunders, has cared for her, the past year.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Ida Hancock is at work at Old Orchard.

Edith Turner was at home over the Sabbath.

Lewis Andrews has gone to Oxford to his father's.

Reuben Cobb has gone to Norway to work for a short time.

Mrs. Fred Clark and two children are at Albany for a vacation.

Mrs. Hewey of Auburn is visitnig her sister, Mrs. Louisa Dorman.

Elmer Cobb of Portland was at his father's, over night, recently.

Mrs. Hannah Hicks is very feeble, being cared for by Mrs. Perley.

Florence Richardson of Portland has been stopping at Horace Barrows'.

EAST BETHEL.

J. M. Bartlett is at home from Berlin, N. H., attending to his haying.

George Blake and family from Massachusetts are spending their summer vacation, as usual, in this place.

Fred Cole has moved his family from Berlin, N. H., into Mrs. Olive Bartlett's house. Mrs. Bartlett will make her home with Mr. Cole's family.

Mrs. Nina Swan earned two dollars and ten cents, Monday, picking berries for H. Maxmin. She picked one hundred and sixty-eight pints, riding six miles from her home and back.

BUCKFIELD.

Mr. Ridley, a former proprietor of Hotel Long, is in town.

Mrs. G. W. Tilton has diphtheria and the house is quarantined.

The new hotel management is giving good service as per reports.

The wife of Rev. Mr. Turner is visiting in Lynn and other towns.

Mrs. Joseph (Morrill) Emery and young son of Boston are among old friends and relatives here.

A. A. Farrar, jr., of Brockton came home with his mother, last week. She has been visiting her sons of late.

J. F. Packard has been unable to attend to business for more than a week from chronic affection contracted in the army.

Mrs. Walter Turner is able to sit up a little, after seven weeks' sickness. Their little boy, who has been ill about the same length of time, is gaining.

By the politeness of Edward Bicknell I have an invitation to attend the Swan Pond Custard Pie Association's annual entertainment on Tuesday, Aug. 13. In the language of Solon they enjoy religion over there with a big R.

The condition of the writer recalls the story of a soliciting agent of a marble worker. On making inquiry at a place he was canvassing for any who had lost relatives, a wag, pointing out a house, said "The man over there has lately lost a wife." So over he goes, calls out the man and affecting a sorrowful visage he opens up this way, "I hear that you have lost a wife of late." "I don't know as it is any of your d——d business if I have." His wife had merely left him as wives sometimes do. Saturday morning the wife having been caring for a son's wife who had an affection of the throat, made a second call at the house, leaving cooking stock and utensils scattered around, and not returning rather mystified me. On going after my mail I was informed of an embargo being placed upon the house, hence G. W. Tilton's home is under quarantine on account of diphtheria and Gilbert's house is presided over by a lonely old man.

Old Home Week and the Library.

Aug. 17, the last day of Old Home Week is the day set for the dedication of The Zadoc Long Free Library. It is a nicely finished building. The body inside is all in white wood. The ceiling over the two rooms, library and reading room, is finished independently of each other, running into the roof like an inverted mill hopper. These are white spruce. A heavy glazed door and side lights, circular top, adorn the front over which a tablet in carved letters on a gable is seen The Zadoc Long Free Library.

Passing into the vestibule, another door and sidelights, then the reception room with the librarian's counter and desk, to the left of which is the library, to the right the reading room. Over the fireplace rests in a receptacle for the purpose a freestone tablet with the following inscription in small capitals

A. D. 1901,
THIS BUILDING WAS GIVEN
TO THE TOWN OF BUCKFIELD BY
JOHN DAVIS LONG
In Memory of his Father and Mother, Zadoc Long and Julia Temple Davis.

The building is of a unique design, one story, hip roof with a gable projecting over the front door. The body is entirely covered by shingles except a white band or moulding encircling the building. The shingles are stained a reddish brown, giving it something of the appearance of the old red country schoolhouse. The roof is stained a greenish hue. The grounds are at present ungraded.

WEST FRYEBURG.

Mrs. Alvin Murch of Sanbornville, N. H., has been visiting relatives in this place.

J. D. Meserve and son Fred are at Menotomy haying on the farm lately vacated by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKeen and daughter of Fryeburg were guests, last Sunday, at H. D. E. Hutchins'.

Mrs. Owen C. Eastman of Lovell Centre with a lady friend called on relatives in this section, last week, on their return from Fryeburg.

Mrs. Sarah J. Hutchins, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. E. Hutchins, has gone to North Conway for a visit of a week or two.

Rev. I. W. Bearce of New York with his family are in South Chatham, N. H., for a few weeks. They occupy part of George Hill's house.

Mrs. Mary Walker still remains quite sick. Her step-niece, Mrs. Esther Charles, came from the village and helped care for her, a few days.

Mrs. John and Frank Emery of Lovell made a short call at S. Farrington's on Saturday. Mrs. John Emery has nearly recovered from the dislocation of her shoulder, some weeks ago.

Everett Thompson has finished work at Stephen Farrington's and expects to go to Iron Mountain House in Jackson, N. H., at an early day, this being his second season at both places.

William Sturdivant entertained his brother, Lyman Sturdivant, of Portland Custom House, a few days last week. Mr. S. has been at his home, the Haley farm, for a short time but returns, this week, to his son's, Dr. G. L. Sturdivant's at Bethel. His health failing, he has been obliged to rent his farm and make his home with his son at Bethel.

The Stirling Literary Club spent a pleasant afternoon Tuesday, July 23d, in regular session at the home of Mrs. G. H. Wentworth in East Conway, N. H. There was a good attendance, a marked interest in the varied and entertaining program and last and not least due appreciation of the efforts of the hostess in the dainty repast served. Sweet peas and golden rod lent their beauty and fragrance to the pretty appointments of the table.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Herbert Jackson has been at home, the past week.

Tracy Littlehale is home from Boston for a short time.

Julian Stowe was home from Greenwood, last Sunday.

Effie Searle is staying with Mrs. J. S. Brown for a few weeks.

George Spinney and Fred Mundt are haying for H. M. Kendall.

Georgia Farwell of Berlin, N. H., is visiting her cousin, Alice Littlehale.

Will Williamson has finished haying and has returned to his home in Conway, N. H.

Mrs. Helen Atherton and little daughter Evangeline have gone to her father's home in Phillips.

George Williamson, Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Mason are spending a few weeks with their brother, R. M. Williamson.

ANDOVER.

A great many of the farmers have finished haying.

More boarders are expected at the French house, this week.

J. F. Suter and family are at their camp at Lake Richardson.

There are several new cases of the measles but in a light form.

The Supt. school committee held a business meeting, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burditt of Rumford Falls spent Sunday with friends in Andover.

Tom French and Owen Waterworth of Rumford Falls are at home for a few days vacation.

The Methodist parsonage has been painted and will have new blinds, which will much improve it.

Mrs. Dolliber, who has been a guest at Henry V. Poor's, has returned to her home in Massachusetts.

Owen Lovejoy has gone to Bemis with several others for a two weeks stay on business for F. P. Thomas.

Dr. and Mrs. Miller of Providence, R. I., arrived at the Gregg house, July 26, and will spend the remainder of the season.

Wm. Cutting from Providence, R. I., has been here visiting relatives. He made calls on his many friends, last week.

Ella Burditt spent a few days here, last week, and has returned to her position in the telephone office at Rumford Falls.

Mrs. Lewis Ripley entertained the Congregational Circle on Wednesday evening. A large attendance and a very pleasant evening enjoyed.

The young people at O. B. and E. S. Poor's gave a party on Saturday evening in Union hall. There was dancing. Ice cream and cake were served.

Quite a party from Andover will attene the Universalist convention at Ferry Beach, Old Orchard, which is to be held from Aug. 1st to the 12th.

In the list of educators from Oxford county we notice Winfred C. Akers' name. We would add Orville Newton, who is one of the professors at Maine Wesleyan Seminary, Kent's Hill; John F. Hutchins, graduate of Yale, and teaching in Plainfield, Ct. These three young men are cousins. Their mothers are sisters. Also John F. Elliott of Rumford, a graduate of Bowdoin College, is principal of the high school at East Boston, Mass.; John F. Moody from Milton, principal of Edward Little High School, Auburn.

FRYEBURG CENTER.

Dr. Pyrum Perry spent last week at Hon. A. P. Gordon's.

Anson Harmon, wife and daughter of Springvale are visiting at J. E. Hutchins'.

Mrs. Albertina Tabourini of Boston is visiting at her uncle's, Charles Gordon's.

Mrs. M. E. Adams has rented her house to Mrs. Thompson from the Harbor.

Mrs. Helen McDaniels goes to Baldwin, this week, to remain through the campmeeting.

Mrs. Helen Fernald and daughter, Mrs. Omer Jones, of Berlin, N. H., were recent guests at J. S. Johnson's.

Mrs. Mary Fife, a lady eighty-two years of age, is very sick. Her home is with her daughter, Mrs. Dexter Wiley.

Mrs. M. E. Adams and H. G. Adams have been occupying their old home here for the past two weeks during the haying season.

Mrs. W. P. Chandler has not recovered from her recent illness. Mrs. Horace Chandler will take her baby home until she is able to care for it.

Albertina Walker came from North Conway to her aunt's, Mrs. F. W. Day's, last week, and has been confined to her bed for several days. She is now improving.

HEBRON.

Vivian Bearce played ball at Mechanic Falls, last Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Hanscom of New York is in Hebron for the summer.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Crane are at Squirrel Island for the summer.

Linwood Andrews of the 1903 class at Hebron Academy, who is working at Poland Spring, was the guest of W. S. Bearce, last Sunday.

In the absence of Dr. Crane the pulpit of the Baptist church was supplied by William R. Cook of the 1901 class of Hebron Academy. In spite of the rain an appreciative audience was present. Mr. Cook is studying for the ministry.

There was a social time at the vestry last Friday evening. During the evening the raising of a fund for the purchase of an organ for the church was proposed and the following committee were appointed for that purpose:—W. Scott Bearce, Hazel Donham, D. Winona Cushman, Fannie D. Stearns and Prof. W. E. Sargent.

LOVELL CENTER.

Many of the farmer guests are at Lake View.

Happy Valley House is filled with guests.

Ethel Douglass will work for Mrs. G. A. Kimball.

Edward Russell is visiting his brother, Dean Russell.

There was a large attendance at the circle at Mrs. Colt's and a pleasant time enjoyed.

The annual sale of the Christian circle will be held at town hall, Tuesday, Aug. 6th.

Arthur P. Stone, esq., arrived at H. W. Palmer's, Saturday, July 28. He found his cottage nearly completed and will occupy it, Aug. 5. He returned home, Monday.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

John Cross of Oxford stayed in the place over Sunday.

A. M. Andrews went to Lewiston on business, Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Osborne and grandson of Massachusetts are boarding at J. H. Davis'.

Arthur Davis and wife of Ashland, Mass., are visiting relatives in the place.

Mrs. Rudolph Kramer returned from Boston, last week, bringing her grandchild with her.

Caleb Morrill is in the guinea hen business. He hasn't raised many so far, they don't seem to hatch well.

Although it was a very rainy Sunday about twenty-five got out to meeting. There will be services in two weeks at the same hour.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Andrews, Mrs. Andrew Richardson, Clifton Curtis, Eva and Harlie Andrews went for a little picnic, Saturday, on the Nute brook. They caught fish enough for their dinner and had a general good time.

SNOW'S FALLS.

Ina L. Curtis is at work for Mrs. Chas. T. Buck.

Vivian H. Bibas' who has been boarding at E. H. Stearns', is at present at Readfield.

Henry Suckles is at work haying for Chas. T. Buck and Mark Niskanen for Geo. A. Jackson.

Mrs. George A. Abbott and little son Harold went to Portland, last week, where they will reside.

John C. Curtis and daughter Ethel of Rumford Falls, have been visiting here at his father's, B. C. Curtis'.

RUMFORD.

Rev. Mr. Smith attended the Pan-American Exposition, last week.

Gen. S. H. Manning of Lewiston visited Mrs. Cynthia Walker, last week.

Quite a number of our young people attended the lawn party at Milton and report a very nice time.

Ad Bryant, while shingling a barn roof in Milton, fell on some rocks in the yard injuring him quite badly.

Mrs. J. H. Estes went to Portland, Saturday, returning Sunday. Her niece, Grace Merrill of Portland, came with her to spend the summer.

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WERE	87c.	ARE	63c.
WEBE	$1.00	ARE	75c.
WERE	$1.25	ARE	88c.
WERE	$1.37	ARE	$1.00.
WERE	$1.75	ARE	$1.25.
WERE	$2.00	ARE	$1.50.
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P. S. S. H. Cobb, formerly with Bradford, Conant & Co., is in charge of Our Carpet Department and will be pleased to meet all his old friends and customers.

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BRYANT'S POND.

Dana Dudley has been cutting the grass on the B. S. York farm.

Harry and Della Howe from West Minot are visiting at S. G. Sweetser's.

Mrs. Scott Merrill arrived, Sunday, to keep house for her father, Daniel Bryant.

The Chase school improvement league are preparing to paper and whitewash their schoolroom.

Sidney Littlefield, wife and daughter of North Abington, Mass., visited at J. E. Hathaway's, Saturday and Sunday.

D. A. Cole, as usual, was the first man in town to finish haying. He finished, last Thursday, and went to Davis mountain blueberrying, Friday.

H. H. Cushman and G. L. Cushman with their families went to White Cap blueberrying, the first of this week, also R. C. Davis and Dana Dudley.

E. H. Pike and John Titus are at Bethel with their teams, this week, hauling logs. Dana Dudley has also sent his horses for the same purpose.

They began work on the quarry, last Monday.

Bertha Cushman is visiting her aunt in Portland.

Mrs. Eugene Briggs has gone to South Paris to work.

Mrs. Laura Stevens is visiting her son John at Rumford Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bowker spent last Saturday at South Paris.

Pearl Bowker has returned home and is again in the post-office.

Vernon and Norman McAlister are working at Rumford Falls.

Mrs. Mark Allen is in poor health and has gone to the seashore.

Mrs. Davidson, a sister of Mrs. A. L. Rowe, is visiting here, from San Deigo, Calif.

Capt. Dearborn's spool mill has been running on full time, for some months, and has plenty of orders, but is obliged to shut down for repairs, this week.

Mrs. Scott Merrill of New Gloucester came, Monday, to keep house for her father, Daniel Bryant. Mrs. Walker, who has been working there, has returned to her home in Lewiston.

A party consisting of Elden Ross of Rumford, Eugene Whitman of Auburn, Miss Ben Franklin of Haverhill, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hathaway, Genevieve and Faunie Whitman of this town, went to the White Mountains, Monday, returning, Thursday night.

NORWAY CENTER.

Fred Brown is spending his vacation at home.

Mrs. Rufus Morrill visited friends in this place, last week.

Several of the farmers have finished haying, while others have lots to cut yet.

Anna and Clara Hobbs recently visited their sister, Mrs. Chas Cummings of Hebron.

William Holt of Massachusetts passed this place, last Saturday, on his way to Henry Brown's where he will stay several weeks.

While Daniel Watson was patching his barn, last Monday, his little five years old daughter happened to think it would be quite fun to go up there too, so she began to climb the ladder while her older sister kept calling for her to come back because she might fall, but "no, I want to go up and see papa." Getting to the top of the ladder she then climbed to the ridgepole and when about half way across, Mr. Watson happened to look up and there saw her. He went to her as soon as possible and told her to sit down while from the place where he was at work procured a hook ladder and placing it on the roof helped her safely to the ground.

HARRISON.

No meetings, Sunday, except in the forenoon.

Charlie Lang commenced work in the cornshop, Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Caswell is visited by her sister and little boy.

The ice cream parlors are open every Saturday afternoon and evening.

Tuesday evening, the Willing Workers gave a lawn party at the Elm Inn.

It is reported that the Cirone Brothers will be in this place, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Woodbury, who has been visiting Mrs. A. F. Whitney, returned to Westbrook, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamb, who have been staying at D. Caswell's, are at The Elm Inn, at present writing.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Willison entertained her friends at the Crystal Lake Cottage by a tea served on the lawn. Mrs. Caswell entertained them with selections on his phonograph.

All last week, the people here were entertained by the plays rendered by Germand & Ford Stock Co:

Monday evening—The Hero in Rags.
Tuesday evening—Kathleen Mavoureen.
Wednesday evening—Two Orphans.
Thursday evening—The Prince of Liars.
Friday evening—East Lynne.
Saturday afternoon—Ten Nights in a Barroom.
Saturday evening—The Country Postmaster.

It was surprising to see what an audience they drew. Those who went one night were sure to go again, if not every night for the rest of the week. The company is very fine and appreciate the endeavors of the people and their patronage. This week, they are billed for Oxford and we wish them great success.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

R. E. Emery of North Abington, Mass. was in town, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. E. Rand of Curtis' Corner is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Swift and son, W. B. Rand.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Durell from Westbrook were in town, Sunday, guests of their niece, Mrs. W. R. Swift.

Guy Coffin, with Louis Whitney and another young man from Portland, are at Geo. Woodsuin's camp, this week.

E. E. Rand and daughter Cirrie, started with their team for Curtis' Corner, Wednesday morning. Marion Swift went with them for a three weeks' visit.

At this writing there are 13 guests at Dudley Cottage. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cummings, Masters Harold D. and Raymond S. Cummings, Portland; L. A. Fitzpatrick, Louise Fitzpatrick, William B. Derby, Boston; D. F. Dunn, Chelsea, Mass.; J. William Bigney, J. S. Williamson, Charles H. Powers, Katherine Powers and John D. Hooley, South Boston.

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BRYANT'S POND.

Dana Dudley has been cutting the grass on the B. S. York farm.

Harry and Della Howe from West Minot are visiting at S. G. Sweetser's.

Mrs. Scott Merrill arrived, Sunday, to keep house for her father, Daniel Bryant.

The Chase school improvement league are preparing to paper and whitewash their schoolroom.

Sidney Littlefield, wife and daughter of North Abington, Mass., visited at J. E. Hathaway's, Saturday and Sunday.

D. A. Cole, as usual, was the first man in town to finish haying. He finished, last Thursday, and went to Davis mountain blueberrying, Friday.

H. H. Cushman and G. L. Cushman with their families went to White Cap blueberrying, the first of this week, also R. C. Davis and Dana Dudley.

E. H. Pike and John Titus are at Bethel with their teams, this week, hauling logs. Dana Dudley has also sent his horses for the same purpose.

They began work on the quarry, last Monday.

Bertha Cushman is visiting her aunt in Portland.

Mrs. Eugene Briggs has gone to South Paris to work.

Mrs. Laura Stevens is visiting her son John at Rumford Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bowker spent last Saturday at South Paris.

Pearl Bowker has returned home and is again in the post-office.

Vernon and Norman McAlister are working at Rumford Falls.

Mrs. Mark Allen is in poor health and has gone to the seashore.

Mrs. Davidson, a sister of Mrs. A. L. Rowe, is visiting here, from San Deigo, Calif.

Capt. Dearborn's spool mill has been running on full time, for some months, and has plenty of orders, but is obliged to shut down for repairs, this week.

Mrs. Scott Merrill of New Gloucester came, Monday, to keep house for her father, Daniel Bryant. Mrs. Walker, who has been working there, has returned to her home in Lewiston.

A party consisting of Elden Ross of Rumford, Eugene Whitman of Auburn, Miss Ben Franklin of Haverhill, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hathaway, Genevieve and Fannie Whitman of this town, went to the White Mountains, Monday, returning, Thursday night.

NORWAY CENTER.

Fred Brown is spending his vacation at home.

Mrs. Rufus Morrill visited friends in this place, last week.

Several of the farmers have finished haying, while others have lots to cut yet.

Anna and Clara Hobbs recently visited their sister, Mrs. Chas Cummings of Hebron.

William Holt of Massachusetts passed this place, last Saturday, on his way to Henry Brown's where he will stay several weeks.

While Daniel Watson was patching his barn, last Monday, his little five years old daughter happened to think it would be quite fun to go up there too, so she began to climb the ladder while her older sister kept calling for her to come back because she might fall, but "no, I want to go up and see papa." Getting to the top of the ladder she then climbed to the ridgepole and when about half way across, Mr. Watson happened to look up and there saw her. He went to her as soon as possible and told her to sit down while from the place where he was at work procured a hook ladder and placing it on the roof helped her safely to the ground.

HARRISON.

No meetings, Sunday, except in the forenoon,

Charlie Laug commenced work in the cornshop, Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Caswell is visited by her sister and little boy.

The ice cream parlors are open every Saturday afternoon and evening.

Tuesday evening, the Willing Workers gave a lawn party at the Elm Inn.

It is reported that the Cirone Brothers will be in this place, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Woodbury, who has been visiting Mrs. A. F. Whitney, returned to Westbrook, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamb, who have been staying at D. Caswell's, are at The Elms Inn, at present writing.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Willison entertained her friends at the Crystal Lake Cottage by a tea served on the lawn. Mr. Caswell entertained them with selections on his phonograph.

All last week, the people here were entertained by the plays rendered by Gormand & Ford Stock Co:

Monday evening—The Hero in Rags.
Tuesday evening—Kathleen Mavoureen.
Wednesday evening—Two Orphans.
Thursday evening—The Prince of Liars.
Friday evening—East Lynne.
Saturday afternoon—Ten Nights in a Barroom.
Saturday evening—The Country Postmaster

It was surprising to see what an audience they drew. Those who went one night were sure to go again, if not every night for the rest of the week. The company is very fine and appreciated the endeavors of the people and their patronage. This week, they are billed for Oxford and we wish them great success.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

R. E. Emery of North Abington, Mass., was in town, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. E. Rand of Curtis' Corner is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Swift, and son, W. B. Rand.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Durell from Westbrook were in town, Sunday, guests of their niece, Mrs. W. R. Swift.

Guy Coffin, with Louis Whitney and another young man from Portland, are at Geo. Woodsum's camp, this week.

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OXFORD.

Trueworthy Towne is working in Lisbon Falls.

Mrs. Will Chase was out on a vacation, last week.

W. R. Farris and H. O. Blake visited friends in Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Howard Blake has left the woolen mill and gone to Bridgton to work.

Mrs. Frank Martin and Mrs. Walter Bean went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Orin Houghton of Auburn visited his brother, George Houghton, last week.

J. D. S. Farris and Melvina Daniels visited Merrymeeting Park, Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Short of Portland is a guest at the home of her brother, Alpha Kavanaugh.

Sarah Eldridge of Roxbury, Mass., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Wardwell.

A full house, last Thursday evening, demonstrated the fact that Oxford people also like Price Webber.

Charlie Farrington from Mechanic Falls called on friends in the woolen mill, Tuesday of last week.

Trial Justice's Court.

For some time past, there has been bad blood between Daniel S. Farnham, hired man on the farm of Mrs. Louisa H. Holmes at East Oxford, and some other men in this and neighboring towns. Sunday, July 21st, a half dozen men went there and had a row with him. Mrs. Holmes testifies that one went but five remained and of that five one, Edwards, struck Farnham in the face. Deputy sheriff Bassett was employed and he arrested Roscoe Edwards of Otisfield, Joseph Bryant of Paris, Robert C. Thomas, William H. Thomas and John P. Hall of this town. Trial Justice Faunce found probable cause against them on the charge of unlawful assembly, and bound them over to the Supreme Court in $100 bonds each. Bail was readily furnished.

Alvin Marr went to Spurr's corner, Saturday evening, and furnished ice cream for a social and dance.

Constable Hanscom went fishing on the lake, Thursday, with sheriffs Bassett of Norway and Tucker of Paris. They caught 16 togue trout.

The Gormand and Ford players are here for the week. A very fine drama entitled A Hero in Rags, was enjoyed by a full house, Monday evening.

The Oxford base ball team in this section visited Norway and Mechanic Falls, Saturday, to witness the games which were played in those places.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richmond and Mrs. Lina Carr and little daughter have returned from Bar Harbor and Old Orchard where they have been for the past two weeks.

As you pass along the street observe the lilies and other beautiful flowers in the yard of Mrs. Newton Littlewood's home; and they grow for her while she works in the woolen mill.

George Hazen and family are moving into a house which he bought and remodeled, some time ago. They have been guests at the home of Cyrus Hayes since the loss of their home by fire.

Farris--Blake.

A very pretty wedding took place, last Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Blake, Lake street, the contracting parties being their daughter, Mamie Blake, and Dr. Harry R. Farris, two very popular young people of Oxford. Rev. Frederick Newport of the Congregational church officiated and there was a large gathering of the relatives of the bride and groom to witness the ceremony.

The bride was becomingly dressed in white muslin with lace trimmings. She wore brides' roses in her hair and carried a large bouquet of them. The bridesmaid was Florence Blake of Portland, cousin of the bride. The best man was Dr. N. C. Stiles of St. Johnsbury, Vermont, a college chum of the groom. Florence Eaton, niece of the groom, was flower girl. She wore white muslin caught up with pink flowers and a wreath upon her head. The little miss made a pretty part of the picture as she strewed the bright blossoms before the happy couple who with their attendants marched from the house to the lawn to the sweet strains of the wedding march played by Lulu Stone. The couple stood during the ceremony under a wedding bell and horseshoe arch of lovely flowers. The decorations were the work of Mrs. I. M. Keith of Boston and presented a very beautiful appearance. The presents were numerous and showed the high esteem in which the young people are held in this community. Ice cream, cake and fruit were served after the ceremony. The carriage was then brought to the door and Dr. and Mrs. Farris amidst congratulations and showers of rice departed for a two weeks trip through the White mountains.

Myrtle Bacon of Bryant's Pond was the guest of Ervie Parrott, the past week.

A spinner named Wm. Dolain grew hilarious, Saturday night and Sunday, and so great was his love for all mankind that he took to hugging passersby. Constable Hanscom arrested him and Sunday he was the guest of Sheriff Tucker. At his trial before Justice Farmer, Monday morning, he received a fine of $13.17 and 30 days in jail.

D. G. C., T. P. Richardson installed the following officers of Craigie Lodge, K. of P., Tuesday evening.

C. C.—W. S. French.
V. C.—D. M. Peterson.
P.—George Cash.
K. of R. and S.—W. A. Lane.
M. of F.—Harry R. Farris.
M. of E.—W. R. Gammon.
M. at A.—Charles Bumpus.
I. G.—F. A. Smith.
O. G.—C. F. Smith.

Refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed by all.

Thompson Pond Fishing.

Togue or lake trout are said to have been biting furiously at Thompson pond. One boat recently captured 25 of them and on another day 13 and 18 were the records of two other boats.

Sheriff Tucker and deputy sheriff Bassett are reported as having caught 18 on the afternoon of the 25th ultimo. We did not see the fish but heard the stories and regard them as fairly well founded on facts.

Friday of last week, the fishing editor of this paper and John A. Woodman of the Beal's Hotel visited Thompson pond and fished from 3.45 p. m. till sun down and caught one laker that weighed less than one pound. The editor dragged it out of 42 feet of water with a hand line. This was the only fish taken in that boat.

There were 14 boats in sight on the lake and 12 on the fishing ground, and only five fish were taken after the Norway men arrived.

Rev. B. S. Rideout and the editor visited the togue ground, last Tuesday, and fished industriously for 3¾ hours without results. Only one laker was taken during the time they were fishing.

A little after sundown the newspaper man hooked and brought to the surface a four-foot eel. During the debate as to whether it would be proper to lift his snakeship into the boat and let the minister swim ashore, the eel broke away and returned to its muddy haunts. That's about the whole story as told of the catch.

Somehow the Thompson pond togue don't take kindly to Parson Rideout and Editor Sanborn. It is said on seeming good authority that they have been there together five times, this season, and only two fish have been taken.

It is a fact that the newspaper man has made ten visits to Thompson pond since April 26, and has captured three trout, i. e. lakers or togue. That's all he claims, and if he'd got more don't you think he'd let you know about it? Ten trips and three fish!

One time, at the height of the trouting season and with a steamer and three boats and ten others the editor helped to catch 32 togue. Of course he claimed to have caught them all—as they came to town with him. It is a fact which can be proven, that the most of those fish were caught by the Oxford members of the party and generously given to the Norway visitors—yet this modest newspaperman would like to have all his fishing friends understand that he caught those 32 fish! Isn't that a fact, eh?

NOTE.—[We bow submissively to this new department of the ADVERTISER and haven't a word to say other than we consider the waters of Thompson pond, Oxford, the best fishing grounds in this section of the state.] EDITOR.

WATERFORD.

Rev. Chas. L. Skinner joined his family at Mrs. Wilkins', Tuesday.

Leon Allen has moved to the farm he bought of Mrs. Geo. L. Warren.

The telephone seems to be an assured fact, the wires being up in this place.

Mrs. Bertha Adams and children of New York are at Mrs. E. A. Knight's.

Joseph Bryant and wife of Avon, Mass., are visiting at C. O. Goodwin's.

The boarding houses are full to running over, rooms having to be secured outside.

Fred M. Harlow of Dixfield took a salmon weighing 3¼ lbs. from Bear lake, last week.

Dance at Masonic hall, Waterford, this Friday evening. Music, Packard's orchestra.

The young people will have a dance in Masonic hall, this Friday evening. A good time expected.

Rev. Mr. Pattison and his sister-in-law, Miss Wyman, returned to their homes in Baltimore and Woburn, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. Jewett has a very fine display of hollyhocks in her yard. Twelve varieties, and some standing ten feet high.

Mr. Trip and son of Melrose, Mass., are with their wives visiting at G. C. Wheeler's; also Grace Wheeler of New York.

Mrs. Susan Farlie Ormiston, wife of Prof. Ormiston of Constantinople, Turkey, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Julia Morse.

Rev. Geo. M. Woodwell's family are in this village for a short time. They will go to Orono soon where Mr. Woodwell has been called to preach.

Mrs. L. G. Stone has a cat that has quite a reputation for fishing. He goes to the brook and takes a fish for his dinner almost every day. Close time has no terrors for him.

Mrs. Mary Simcox of La Crouse, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Phila Goodwin. She attended the meeting of Kecka Chapter, O. E. S., last Friday night, as also did Mrs. Bertha Fitts of Quincy, Mass., who is at her father's, Chas. H. Rice's.

EAST HIRAM.

Mrs. L. A. Hubbard is in very feeble health.

Charles Hanscom of Bartlett, N. M., is visiting his father, E. K. Hanscom.

Master Carroll Cram had the misfortune to trip over his dog and break his left arm.

Evie Hanscom, who has been the guest of Dr. J. A. Bennett of Bridgton, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Amsi Sanborn and their daughter Vera are visiting at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burnell's.

Rev. and Mrs. J. G. W. Herold with children left for Connecticut, last Tuesday, where he will engage in the ministry.

Rev. J. F. Albion of Malden, Mass., who is boarding at Sidney Butterfield's, preaches at the Universalist churches, Brownfield and Hiram, during his vacation.

Summer boarders are just coming to Hiram. Thirty-eight are reported at Mountain View Farm, twelve at Sidney Butterfield's and eight at A. B. Kimball's.

The officers of Hiram Lodge, K. of P., were installed, last Saturday evening, by Installing Deputy Seavey of Bridgton, assisted by Mr. Phinney, Deputy G. M. at A. The officers are:

C. C.—Minnie Boynton.
V. C.—James Fessenden.
P.—Will York.
K. of R. and S.—James Evans.
M. of E.—A. B. Kimball.
M. of F.—L. H. Hubbard.
M. at W.—C. E. Wilson.
M. at A.—E. E. Black.
I. G.—E. W. Dyer.
O. G.—G. H. Goodwin.

WOODSTOCK.

CHASE DISTRICT.—Lena Felt returned to West Poland, Sunday night.

Emerson Billings is doing the haying on his farm in Sygotch.

Archie Felt and Luther Irish drove out from Rumford Falls, Saturday night, and spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Clara Nunan and son Eddie went to South Bethel, last Monday, to visit her cousin, Mrs. L. Caroline Herrick, and other friends.

G. Q. Perham has put into his barn from his home farm 69 loads of hay (and has one-half day's mowing yet to do) where last year he only got 33 loads.

Louisa Cole and sister, Mrs. Diantha Edwards, have broken up housekeeping at North Woodstock and Miss Cole has gone to live with her nephew, D. A. Cole. Mrs. Edwards is visiting at Norway at present.

The first of the week a party composed of G. L. Cushman's family, H. H. Cushman's family, R. C. Davis and wife, D. O. Dudley and Martha Kimball spent a few days camping at the foot of White Cap mountain, and picking blueberries when it didn't rain. R. C. Davis picked a bushel himself one day.

WEST PARIS.

Annie Marshall has returned to Framingham, Mass.

Mrs. Elva Locke went to Portland, Monday, July 29.

Nina B. Bryant is spending a few days visiting friends in Bethel.

July 20th, a sixteenth birthday party was given in honor of Ida Aldrich.

Clara Berry has returned home from Springfield, where she has been teaching.

Charles Swift has gone back to Bradford, Penn., to work for the Wood Rim Co.

A. K. Baldwin and wife have returned from their wedding trip to Taunton, Mass.

Engineer Cookson has his little son Warren here visiting him from Gorham, N. H.

Lulie Tuell has been working at the Norway National Bank for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Clarence Curtis went to Lewiston, Saturday, to spend Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Hattie Brooks of Portland visited her parents, Francis Young and wife, recently.

Mabel Ricker went to Bethel, Tuesday, July 30, to visit at her uncle's, Horace Andrews'.

Winnie Rooney from Portland is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Nathaniel Young.

A surprise party was given to Samuel Estes, jr., it being his eighteenth birthday, July 24.

The new mail boxes for the new rural delivery route have arrived and are being distributed.

Jerry Cole has gone to Rumford Falls to work for E. Willis on the new buildings being erected there.

Mrs. Clara Ridlon has gone to Yarmouth for a few weeks' stay with her daughter, Mrs. Dora Jackson.

Mrs. Dennen, Mrs. Washburn and Mrs. Annie Emmons and little daughter Lulu are picking berries for Freeman Wyman.

Mrs. Chas. Marshall's boarders have gone, Mr. Lunt to his home in Portland and Mrs. Lunt and son to Paris Hill to board there for a while longer.

L. F. Willis and wife from Welchville and oldest daughter, Mrs. Mary Smith, and child visited their daughter, Mrs. Calvin Washburn, Monday, July 29.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting with Mrs. Hattie Mooney, Thursday p. m., Aug. 1. A parliamentary drill for entertainment after the business is over.

Mrs. A. R. Bucknam and little grandson, Gerry Curtis, and Mrs. Frank McKenney and her daughter Margie and son Wirt went to Greenwood camping, Saturday, returning on Monday. Rather a wet time for an outing.

Barry Locke is spending a few days at the Marshall cottage on South pond, Locke's Mills, with a party of young people—Henry Merrill, Frank Bonney, Harold Hebbard, Lou Bryant, Olive Swett, Ruth Stearns and Florence Richardson chaperoned by Maud Carter from South Paris.

A golden wedding, Saturday, July 20, the children and several grandchildren came home to spend the fiftieth anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kingman Churchill. Their married life was blessed with five children, all of whom are living and were present at the home coming. They are as follows:—Rev. D. B. Dow and wife of Oldtown; Chas. H. Churchill and wife of Auburn; Wm. L. Blood and wife of South Paris; Will Berry and wife of West Paris; and C. Bisbee and wife of Bethel.

WEST STONEHAM.

Leonard Gammon has finished his haying.

Sumner Durgin of Bethel was in town, the past week.

Mrs. Kate Adams was visiting friends in this vicinity, last week.

Z. M. Gammon of Windham is visiting his brother, Wm. Gammon.

Josie Adams is working for her cousin, Freeland Adams, at South Waterford.

Quite a party went on Sugar hill, last Thursday, and got lots of blueberries.

John and Dennis Adams have each bought a horse to do their farming with.

Mrs. Sarah Gammon has been quite sick, the past week, but is improving now.

Blackberries are beginning to get ripe and every bush is loaded with green ones.

Fred McKeen of East Stoneham was cutting hay on his old farm in this vicinity, last week.

George Spottiswoode and three friends of Orange, N. J., are camping in one of Weston's camp near lake Kezar.

Ernest Gammon of South Paris and Willie Brooks of Milton visited their uncle, Wm. Gammon, last week.

The rain of Sunday, Monday and Tuesday was very refreshing to vegetation, which needed it badly in some localities.

Mrs. Conner and three children of Waltham, Mass., and Mrs. Jordan and two children of New York are visiting their sister, Mrs. Leonard Gammon.

Blanche Adams, who has been working in Boston, Mass., came home, last Saturday, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Brown. Her brother Melrose and sister Grace are expected from Boston, the first of the week.

A very peculiar looking snake was killed recently on the George McAllister place. It was first discovered by Roy Conner, a boy who is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Leonard Gammon, and he attempted to kill it but not succeeding called on three men who were haying there, Leonard Gammon, Amos McKeen and Charles Mason, who soon dispatched it. It measured 53 inches in length and was only about an inch in diameter in the largest place, and a foot from the end of its tail was about as large as the small end of a pipe stem and tapered down to the size of a needle. It was very active and hard to kill and was blue in color. Some call it a blue racer and some say it strongly resembles the whip snake that is found in the South and West.

NEWRY.

Eli Stearns has bought the hay on the Searle farm.

Carrie Brooks went home on a short visit, last Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Douglass visited on Sunday River, last week.

Mrs. W. F. Small has visitors from Portland for a few weeks.

Harlan Bartlett is home from haying and had quite an experience with the measles while he was away.

Elmer Trask and Mark Arsenault had a dance at Bisbee's hall, last Wednesday night. About 22 couples attended. Also there was a ball at Kilgore's hall, Friday night, and there were 32 couples.

WELCHVILLE.

Louisa Hall is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George Cathcart, at Pittsfield, Mass.

Everett Staples of Berlin, N. H., visited his parents, R. F. Staples and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. George Widdoes of Bridgton are visiting Mrs. Widdoes' mother, Mrs. James Dunn.

Belle Lunt was called to Freeport, Thursday, where her mother was dangerously sick and died soon after Miss Lunt's arrival.

John Rowe is at home from Auburn for a few days.

Maud Dresser from Albany is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Chaplin.

Emma Washburn has gone to Narragansett Pier, R. I., for two months.

Mrs. A. L. Chaplin's sister from Providence, R. I., is here for her annual visit.

Mrs. Frank Blake is in Bridgton caring for her daughter, Mrs. Cole, who is very sick.

W. E. Holmes is here settling up his business. He has sold his place to Joseph Frye.

PORTER.

James Virture, our barber, has opened a barber shop at Kezar Falls.

Blueberries are reported more plenty than they have been for years.

Samuel Stanley is cutting the hay on the Brown place in Parsonsfield.

Harry, the little son of Fred Wentworth, is visiting his grandfather, Daniel Wentworth.

Charles French, who has been staying with his father, has gone to Biddeford to work in a laundry.

Mrs. Agnes Chamberlain of Boston, Mass., is spending a few weeks with her old friend, Mrs. Ada Blazo.

The Mason brothers, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Jacob Wiggins, have returned to their home in Pennsylvania.

We have a number of old people in this section from 80 to 95 years old and the recent hot weather told on their strength severely.

Charles Stanley has been suffering quite badly, the past week, with a carbuncle on the back of his neck. He has been confined to the house most of the time.

George W. Towle has sold the old mill privilege in this place to Allen Garner of Kezar Falls. He will take the split stone out of the dam and take it to Kezar Falls.

John Stanley of South Hiram is tending the store of his son, A. C. Stanley, while he is doing his haying. Mr. Stanley has tended store for many years. His pleasant smile and manners are sure to please every one.

There is not much interest in regard to rebuilding the church that was blown down, last fall, in the tornado that passed over our village. It was the only place of public worship in the place and if religious people were as interested in such a good cause as they say they are something should be done in rebuilding the church. With a little labor and a few hundred dollars it could be done. Some one must be first.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

June 30, 1901.

WHEREAS. The Death Angel silently crossed the threshold of Bear Mountain Grange and severed a link from our fraternal chain by the removal of our beloved sister, Mary C. Green, one of our oldest members and one whose name heads the list on our roll book.—Therefore

Resolved: That the sudden removal of such a life from our midst leaves a shadow and a vacancy that will be deeply realized by all of our members. Her fidelity and love for the Order will ever be held in grateful rememberance. We shall miss her pleasant face, but feel that our loss is her gain, and that she is resting from her labors and joined the dear ones in the beautiful beyond.

Resolved: That no words of ours can heal the hearts bowed down with grief and sorrow, yet we extend to the bereaved daughter and son and all connected with the deceased our deepest and most heartfelt sorrow in this hour of their bereavement. May the silver lining of the dark cloud which now enshrouds them, give promise of a glorious hereafter.

Resolved: That our Charter be draped in mourning thirty days. A copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family, one entered upon our records, and one to the NORWAY ADVERTISER for publication.

MIRANDA BILLINGS, IDA E. RIGGS, JENNIE M. PLUMMER. } Committee on Resolutions

KEZAR FALLS.

The Cornish fair will be held the 20th, 21st and 22d of this month.

Mrs. John Bushby has returned from Lewiston accompanied by her niece, Ethel Steele.

Mrs. C. M. Jameson of Jamaica Plain is spending the month with her friends at this place.

The showers and cooler weather of the past week have improved the looks of things wonderfully.

Work on W. T. Norton's new house is progressing. The frame is up, the window frames in place and the roof shingled.

Last Saturday afternoon, in the ball game between the Hotel Malverns and the Kezar Falls first nine the score stood 6 to 1 in favor of Kezar Falls.

Mrs. John Garner, Mrs. Fred I. Wills and daughter Carrie of Lewiston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Garner. Mrs. Regina Wright also of Lewiston has returned to her home.

BIRTHS.

In Camden, July 26, to the wife of Rev. Wm. E. Lombard, (formerly Susie Millett of Norway), a daughter—Gertrude Augusta.

In Norway, July 29, to the wife of Zenas W. Mills, a son.

In Norway, July 26, to the wife of Frank L. Millett, a son.

In Rumford Falls, July 23, to the wife of Wallace I. White, a son.

In Rumford Center, July 11, to the wife of Charles A. Woods, a son—Edwin Barker.

In South Paris, July 29, to the wife of Gilbert Shaw, a son.

MARRIAGES.

In Norway, July 31, by Rev. B. Franklin Fickett, John F. Lamb and Alice F. Sanborn, both of Oxford.

In Norway, July 23, by Rev. B. F. Fickett, Ernest Vaillancour and Blanche M. Burt, both of Norway.

In Brownfield, July 23, by J. L. Frink, esq., Albert Nutter of Parsonfield and Maude Kennard of West Brownfield.

In Oxford, July 25, by Rev. Frederick Newport, Dr. Harry R. Farris and Mamie Blake, both of Oxford.

In Naples, July 20, Bennett Wiley of Naples and Ina Peaco of Otisfield.

DEATHS.

In Otisfield, July 23, Rev. Columbus T. Keene, aged 69 years.

In Woodfords, July 15, Mrs. Addie (Brackett) Bryant, a native of Harrison, aged 32 years.

In Rumford Falls, July 28, J. Leslie Putnam, aged 33 years, 4 months, 10 days.

In Norway, July 28, Philip J. Bourbeau, aged 27 years, 8 months, 18 days.

In Fryeburg, July 24, Charles A. Whittemore of Malden, Mass.

In South Rumford, July 24, Mrs. Cora, wife of George Elliott.

In Peru, July 23, Mrs. Addie (Harriman), wife of P. L. Knight, aged 21 years.

In Newton Center, Mass., July 24, Louise Evans, formerly of Norway, aged 28 years.

In East Brownfield, July 29, Eliza Durgin, aged about 23 years.

In East Hebron, July 27, Mrs. Josie Monk.

In Woodfords, July 21, Mrs. Maude (Warren) Sweetsir, formerly of Denmark.

In Billerica, Mass., July 28, Rev. D. W. Hardy, formerly of Bethel, aged 67 years.

CARRIAGES HARNESSES

Having bought the Carriage and Harness stock of the late C. H. LEWIS, I shall conduct the business in connection with my custom shop, and with low prices, good work, and a large assortment of goods, hope to merit the patronage of buyers. Carriages of different grades, heavy and light harnesses, strap work of all kinds, collars, pads, houseings, bridle fronts, rosettes, bits, and all goods usually found in a first-class shop.

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COFFEE.

We would like to have you try some of our Coffee, put up in one pound cans with a good spoon inside, called the Silver Quarter at 25c per can. This is a blended Coffee, and is about equal to one you pay 35c a pound for.

Yours Respectfully,

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Next Door to Opera House, Norway, Maine.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Rev. Frank E. Rand of Bethel was in town, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Amasa B. Robbins has been in Hartford, visiting her daughters, Mrs. Charles Canwell, Mrs. Charles Higgins and Mrs. E. C. Irish.

Mrs. M. A. Tarr of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her son, Supt. Ernest C. Tarr of the Radcliffe shoe factory, at his cottage by Lake Pennesseewassee.

Hercules Cummings is the first dog to don a bonnet. It is made after the style of those the horses wear. The little fellow is exceedingly proud of his new head gear.

Joseph Kavanaugh of Jamacia Plain, Mass., was in Norway, Thursday. He is manager of a printing business. He worked at the Advertiser office fourteen or fifteen years ago.

Mrs. John Callahan and Frank and May Callahan arrived from Lynn, last Saturday, and are enjoying the country at Columbian Cottage, Lake Pennesseewassee. Other members of the family and friends will come later.

Aug. 24, is the date for a field meeting of the Maine State Grange at Norway. The State Master will preside and speakers of national renown are expected. One will be Mrs. J. J. Woodman of Pawpaw, Mich., wife of Past Master Woodman of the National Grange.

Rev. B. S. Rideout will preach in the Congregational church, next Sunday morning, and his vacation will begin after that date. On the two following Sabbaths, Aug. 11 and 18, Prof. Albert W. Anthony of Bates College will occupy the pulpit. Arrangement has been made to have the singing at Sunday evening prayer meetings led by Archibald Slack, cornetist.

The N. E. T. & T. Co. has strung a cable of wires from the central office in the public library down Main street as far as Lynn street, taking in about all the local lines. The cable is made inside lead pipe. They also have a temporary shop in Hathaway old block where Thomas F. Maguire, the man in charge of this work, has attracted considerable attention by his labor at building water-tight joints for the cable.

Letter to Charles H. Adams.

Norway, Me.

Dear Sir: It is your business to know what materials to put into a house as well as to plan it. Of course you know the effect of zinc on lead in paint—toughens it. Do you also know the greater effect of lead ground in?

For a painter can't grind; he can only mix. Devoe lead and zinc is thoroughly ground in oil. The result is an intimate mixture.

Your painter can only mix; he can't grind; there's no need of grinding by hand. He should buy lead and zinc ground together in oil.

Devoe lead and zinc is that; the proportions are right besides. It outlasts lead and oil two to one, and costs no more—even less; for hand-work can't compete with machine-work.

Yours truly,

16 F. W. DEVOE & Co.

P. S.—F. P. Stone sells our paint in your section.

Mannish Girl Passing Away.

Type of Woman Once Popular Who Is Seldom Seen To-day and Will Be Only a Memory.

The mannish woman—the woman who strove to emulate her brothers and sweethearts by poaching their wardrobes, and infringing their habits, is a creature of the past. Her manner was repulsive, and her "make-up" unsexed her. Brothers swore at her, and sweethearts gave her a wide berth, until in her despair and loneliness, she gladly took refuge behind the laces and frills that accentuate a woman's charms and fascinate her admirers.

The girl in a boiled shirt was a monstrosity—a sort of hybrid and the original shirtwaist girl, in her starched stiffness, if she were at all pretty, lost all her lovable curves through her masculine assumption, while a homely girl emphasized every obtrusive angle. And what man could make love to a girl who seemed a counterpart of himself? It savored of making love to another man. The derby hat, too, save for equestrian exercises, would disfigure the loveliest face.

The fact is becoming so patent that even the comfortable sailor hat with its stiff brim is becoming an antique, and the few that appear in the shops are well covered with dotted satin foulards and mull, or are so heavily garnished with flowers that one hardly sees the hat proper. The pretty white duck hats seen in the best stores are trimmed with heavy breasts and mull folds, and are dainty and becoming. Even in yachting costume the sailor's severity is losing ground, and the lawn shirt waist worn under the blouse is a survival of the fittest.

It cannot be denied that dress exerts a pronounced influence over the manners and disposition of a woman. Put her in mannish togs and her whole being will bristle with a certain swagger and boldness of action, but array her in soft mulls and laces and her femininity with all its pretty coquetries will assert itself. A girl in heavy boots, golf skirt and a Fedora hat may be a "chummy" companion for the noonhour jaunts, but it is the girl in the fleecy loveliness of a ball gown that a man remembers with a dreamy light in his eyes as he puffs his cheroot before retiring—and builds air castles in the rings of smoke that circle above his head. A man may find the mannish girl a "good fellow" and enjoy the camaraderie and have "no end of fun" with her, but when it comes to playing his heart in the game it is to the truly feminine girl that he turns in the hope of winning her love and it is she whom he honors with the offer of his hand.

No! A man in seeking a wife weighs well the fact that he is seeking a mother for his children. Consequently he passes by the mannish woman who has been "chummy," and leaves her for some other fellow, while he asks the girl whose winning ways and womanly tact challenge his love and esteem.

There is a very perceptible toning down of these turbulent spirits, and it is well. A woman who espouses certain causes exhausts herself by her own hysterical energy. She does not stop to reason, but rushes headlong "where angels fear to tread."

Dr. Z. Willis Kemp.

Z. Willis Kemp, the oldest of the seven children of Charles E. and Sybil J. (Wardwell) Kemp of East Otisfield first saw the light in that town on the twelfth day of April 1857. His only sister died in her teens. Of his brothers, Maurice C., after being twelve years supervisor in the hospital for the insane, at Worcester, Mass., came back to the old town and for five years has now resided on the farm with his father, meanwhile serving his town as selectman a part of the time, and being generally a leading citizen. Oscar Kemp is superintendent of the jail at Cranston, R. I., and Lewis Kemp is supervisor in the Butler hospital, Providence, R. I. The other brothers are in electric railroad work.

Z. Willis Kemp worked on the farm and went to the district school and at the age of nineteen himself began schoolteaching, a work that was kept up during the years when he was enrolled as student in Bridgton Academy and in Bowdoin College, spending the whole year of 1879-1880 in teaching. He graduated from the academy in 1879 and received his sheepskin from the college five years later.

Shortly before his college commencement he was engaged for a year as principal of Norway high school and filled that position a year, resigning to go to a larger field of work.

While in Norway he became acquainted with L. Mary Boynton of this village and in 1885 they were married, and settled in Fairhaven, Mass., where he was high school principal, and also superintendent of schools for the village where ten teachers were employed to look after some four hundred scholars. The town lies on Buzzard's bay at the mouth of the Acushnet river, and has several thousand people. The high school, then as now, fitted students for any college in North America. It was while teaching at Fairhaven that Bowdoin College gave him the degree of Master of Arts.

In 1889, Mr. Kemp moved to Marion, Mass., to take charge of the department of Latin in Tabor Academy, a first-class institution with a large endowment. The Otisfield boy was vice-principal.

The year 1893 brought him opportunity in the shape of a college professorship, when he took charge of the work in ancient languages at the French-American College, Springfield, Mass. That is a Protestant institution, furnishing American college educational facilities to people of foreign birth. The demand among that class of population, especially among the French-Canadians, for such education led to the founding of the college. Its work has been successful. Preparatory and college departments are maintained and students of both sexes participate in its benefits. In 1895 Professor Kemp became Doctor Kemp, by the action of Wesleyan University, which granted him the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, as a testimonial of the value of his researches in the Latin language, literature and history. In that same year he was elected dean of the college where he held a professorship. As dean he has really been for six years executive officer, the president having been absent much looking after the financial interests of the institution.

This last spring, the trustees of Sanborn Seminary at Kingston, N. H., were looking about for a strong man to take charge of that school and make it such a school as it should be with its endowment of two hundred thousand dollars. There were half a hundred anxious men seeking the position, but the trustees hunted up Dr. Kemp who had made no move toward it and asked him to take the work as permanent principal at a salary of $2,500. He has accepted the place and great things are expected of him there.

Dr. Kemp is a member of Hope Congregational church at Springfield, and for five years past has been superintendent of that church Bible school which numbers more than seven hundred scholars. On the last Sabbath in June when he was about to leave the city, and resigned the position, they surprised him with a present of a beautiful gold watch, suitably inscribed, which cost ninety dollars.

Dr. Kemp belonged to the Theta Delta Chi fraternity while in college. He is now a Freemason and an Odd Fellow, and is a member of one literary club, The Reality, in Springfield.

Dr. and Mrs. Kemp have an old fashioned family—six children—four girls and two boys. Ida, the oldest, has seen fourteen years pass, and is now fitting for Mt. Holyoke College. The youngest, is a sturdy boy of two years. Their home life has been pleasant, and Dr. Kemp remarked of his wife: "She has been a great aid to me in the various positions I have filled. Like most men who have good wives, whatever I have accomplished, I attribute in a large measure to her aid and influence."

Besides work as a teacher and college professor, he has found time to do considerable public speaking on educational, political and temperance themes. While not a strong partisan, and, in fact, pretty independent, yet he has affiliated with the Republican party, and been delegate to various conventions. He also wrote part of a book entitled "Reforms and Reformers," which is published by King & Richardson, Springfield; Mass.

At North Newry.

Thirty odd years should indicate a considerable change in the general surroundings of even a remote corner in a far away realm of mountains, forest and brook filled streams, especially in Maine, the banner State for the summer tourist. And so after a long absence from the many wild glories of Newry and the Bear River district, I had pictured the spot as proporionally lost to its wild state, and like Moosehead and many of the White Mountain resorts on the New Hampshire side that this section would have given way to the demands many large summer homes and hostelries with the added golf grounds and the changes in landscape beauties wrought by the hand work of man against that of nature. But no, this famous border to the middle gateway of the Rangeley chain of lakes is in almost as virgin state as we left it over a quarter of a century ago. When one thinks of the clamor made over the many fishing, hunting and pleasure resorts in the far eastern section of the State, and the long hours of railway travel necessary to reach these spots and compare the trip to this Bear River section, and its wildness within reach of Porrland by only a three hour rail ride and a delightful stage trip of two hours and a half (all between dinner and early supper). There appears to be a lack in appreciation of convenience in travel by the tourist, public or the preferable ignorance of so handy a wild spot. Fishing is at almost the doorstep and easily accessible hunting spots where bear, deer, fox and partridge await the lover of gnuning.

From Bethel where we leave the cars and take the stage we begin a ride over a road which follows the Androscoggin river for five miles, when at Newry Corner we turn north and zigzag along the valley of Bear River; a ride panoramic with rare mountain scenery.

Six miles of this drive of eleven miles in all brings us to the door of the Poplar Hotel at North Newry. This hotel has for years been the pivotal spot between the Rangeley Lakes and Bethel, as this road at one period promised to be and practically was the main entrance to the lake section, but the extension of the Rumford Falls line and the Phillips and Rangeley Lake road, has resulted in a division of this lake traffic, although today a fair amount of freight still finds its way northward via this route.

Half a dozen years ago this hotel and picturesque surroundings were so much appreciated by parties from Boston, New York and other metropolitan localities that a club called the Bear River Club was formed and the Poplar Hotel property purchased. An addition was built called the club quarters, which was connected with the main house, and which was finished with hard wood floors and stairways, a large library or club room with a generous open fire-place and thirty sleeping apartments separate and en suite, making as a whole a modern and thoroughly up to date interior. Then the main house was given attention, being piped throughout for running water on every floor, toilet rooms, billiard room and the office finished in hard wood. On the whole the club expended within a few cents of fourteen thousand dollars and thus North Newry, the Bear River district's hub, was presented with its first, last and only touch of "modern conveniences" within that section, but being mainly confined to the interior it in no way mars the thoroughly wild exterior conditions.

At the last annual meeting of the Bear River Club it was found that removals, deaths and other causes had reduced the original membership to such an extent that to continue to maintain the property would prove too great an expense for a limited membership and it was voted to dispose of the property.

W. W. Kilgore was the successful purchaser and under his proprietorship and personal management, the hotel and club quarters is this season open to the general public.

It is observed that several fire insurance companies which have been doing business in Maine, have decided to withdraw, as they say they have been unable to make any money here. There will, however, be others left, and good ones, so that the property owners will not have to hunt far for an insurance agency that will be willing to do their business.

Old Home Week.

The State Old Home Week Associations settled on August 10-17, as the dates for Old Home Week in Maine this year, Saturday, the 10th, being selected as the opening day, that there might be a Sunday in Old Home Week, on which day it is hoped clergymen will deliver appropriate sermons.

It is perfectly surprising what enthusiasm the inauguration of this movement last year, aroused and nearly if not quite 30,000 of the Governor's invitations were sent out from the different parts of the State.

There is not a town in Maine but what ought to interest itself in this matter, as tending to keep up the practice of former residents making an annual pilgrimage to Maine, and apathy in the Old Home Week movement tends to injure not only the success of the affair, but also the interest of the entire State.

This year the prominent places in the State which have thus far signified their intention of celebrating the event are Portland, Bath, Rockland, Gardiner, Waterville, Belfast and Leeds, with State Day in Rockland, Tuesday, August 13th. Portland will undoubtedly arrange to have a County Day on the 15th, and Secretary John D. Long has already accepted an invitation to be present, and Hon. Thomas B. Reed is also expected to be present.

The officials of the State Organization are complaining that the invitations are not being asked for as liberally as last year. Invitations issued this year by Gov. Hill, are obtainable from the Mayor's office in Portland, or from S. W. Matthews, Secretary of the State Association, at Augusta.

Spoiled Wife—Why are you dividing your month's salary in two heaps, Henry?

Indulgent Husband—I thought I ought to put this five in the bank this month, love. Other $95 is your pin money. —Ohio State Journal.

The Cosmopolitan for August is, as usual, rich in fiction, remarkable both for its vivid interest and its great variety. Irving Batcheller writes a refreshing story of the Canadian big-timber region, and Hering's drawings catch the spirit of the scene perfectly. A. T. Quiller-Couch's ("Q.") pathetic little tale cannot fail to enlist our sympathies with the French exile who broke his parole for love.

"I have noticed," said George K. Oyler, "that the men who profess not to believe in advertising are the very first ones to discover and kick about anything in the papers that does not please them. Especially do they become rampant if they consider that it reflects upon their business, even if it is only a three-line item in an obscure part of the paper. This ought to convince them, if nothing else would, that everything in the papers is read, and that advertising pays."

Just Every-day Thoughts.

Uses of Ammonia.

Nothing will so quickly clean and polish the spigots of sink and bath tub as a little ammonia and suds mixed with the fine ashes from the ash flue of the range, says the Philadelphia Times.

Equal parts of ammonia and turpentine will take paint out of clothing, even if it be hard and dry. Saturate the spots as often as necessary and wash out in warm suds.

If those who perspire freely would use a little ammonia in the water in which they bathe each day it would remove any disagreeable odor and keep the flesh sweet and clean.

Put a tablespoonful of ammonia in a quart of water, wash your brushes and combs in this, and all grease and dirt will disappear. Rinse, shake and dry in the sun or by the fire.

For an excellent silver polish that may be kept on hand for every-day use, mix a few drops of ammonia with the common whiting used for silver, and add enough water to make of the consistence of cream; bottle this and keep it tightly corked. Drop a little of this mixture on the polishing cloth, rub the silver lightly and rinse in warm water, and the silver will be instantly brightened and cleaned without the hard rubbing necessary when polishing with the dry whiting.

For removing paint and putty marks from window glass this same mixture of ammonia and whiting may be used for stubborn cases, or simply a little ammonia in warm soap suds. If whiting is used let it become dry on the glass before polishing.

Don't Talk to the Baby.

The "first babies" are probably the ones most apt to suffer from too much attention, especially the talking and amusing process; not only does the so-called spoiling follow such a system of training, but it really injures the baby brain. "Don't talk to the baby" is sensible advice, and it should be more carefully followed.

"What, not talk to my baby!" exclaimed a young mother, who sat holding her 3-months-old baby and chattering to it with the fond foolishness of which young mothers are capable.

"No, my dear, don't talk to him so much, not nearly so much," replied the older woman. "Dear as he is, you must not forget how delicate in every way a tiny baby is."

The young mother was sobered, but not convinced.

"How can it possibly hurt him?" she asked. "He cannot understand me and I do love to see him smile and answer my talk with his happy look."

"Which proves that he does understand, and in his way replies to your loving talk; and it is that which is the strain. You take care to feed the baby with exactness and to keep him clothed daintily and comfortably, and that is right. His brain, however, is just as weak and undeveloped as is his body. What this small mind needs is rest, and when you talk to him, the tax on his mentality is beyond his strength. A young baby cannot be kept too much like an animal; let him sleep and eat, and eat and sleep again keeping him in cool, well ventilated rooms, and not too much strong light either in sun or artificial light. Be advised and let your baby alone. Let him grow naturally and not by any forcing process."

Sensible advice, surely, and there is still another point to consider in this connection, even if the baby's brain should not be permanently injured by the constant forcing and showing off process often indulged in, the health is apt to suffer. The baby that is sensibly kept quiet is usually the contented, easily amused baby, while the one that is forced and amused and chattered to from early infancy, soon develops into an irritable, peevish, highly-strung organism demanding constant attention.

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents. (36) For sale by F. P. STONE.

That judicious advertising pays everybody knows. The late A. T. Stewart, it is said, made it a rule of his life to expend annually in advertising his business a sum equal to the amount paid for the rent of property. He owned the property in which he did business, equal to $100,000 annual rentals. This sum was spent in advertising every year. There are also other conspicuous examples in which advertising was a business rule strictly adhered to.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Adelina Patti, the wonderful singer, who, although an old woman, still preserves her girlish complexion and her sweet and powerful voice, gives this sound advice: "Drink nothing but water or milk, especially drink lots of water. You never can drink too much of it. On the other hand, remember that alcohol is a poison which does untold damage within you; that wine, beer, coffee and tea are poisons, too. Shun all of them as you would diluted vitriol. Remember also that while the medicine you take may cure the disease your physician aims at, the drug never stops at that, but goes no one knows where, to do no one knows what. Therefore, live in holy fear of medicine and take it only when absolutely necessary."

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Your complexion will be ruined unless you take care of it during this hot weather.

The best thing to prevent sunburn and freckles is **F W Lotion,** prepared and sold only at my store, 15c or 25c bottles. Of course we have the other kinds.

When you get warm and sweaty a **Nice Toilet Water** will make the face feel better. We can furnish you Violet Water, Carnation Toilet Water, Lavender Water, Caprice, Florida Water, Bay Rum and a good many other kinds as you wish.

Palmer's Perfumes are the standard of the world, the kind officially adopted for use at the White House, and I keep a full assortment of them.

Perhaps you need a **Face Powder** this weather. Whether you want a violet powder, borated powder, talcum powder or some other kind, come to my store. Comfort Powder, Foot Ease and other toilet powders. Puff balls and boxes.

In fact any toilet article for this hot, sticky, sweaty, disagreeable weather may be obtained of

F. P. STONE, DRUGGIST,

143 MAIN STREET, - - - NORWAY.

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You Can Save Money in Our Mark-Down Sale on Suits and Trousers.

CALL AND SEE THE BARGAINS.

F. H. NOYES CO.,

NORWAY. SO. PARIS.

BOOTS OXFORDS

$2.00. $1.50.

That is the price and the name is the Standard. These are one of our new lines. They are made of good stock in every part, heavy soles and correct styles. The very best goods we ever sold for the money, ask to see them. Also please remember you can buy a **TRUNK OR SUIT CASE** for less money of us than any other place in the County. Our motto is—"Good Goods and Low Prices."

COME AND SEE US.

Yours Truly,

SMILEY SHOE STORE, Norway, Me.

E. N. SWETT, Manager and Salesman. F. W. FAUNCE, Salesman.

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Doors, Windows, Shingles, Screen Doors and Windows, Lumber, Etc.

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Including "David Harum," "Hugh Wynne," "Clayton Halowell," "Caleb West," "Hearts' Highway," "When Knighthood Was In Flower," "Eben Holden," "Richard Carvel," "To Have and to Hold," "Gentleman from Indiana;" also Weekly Story Papers, 10c Novels, Daily Boston Papers, Herald, Globe, Journal and Post, Sunday Papers, Boston Globe and Herald, New York World. A good map of Oxford County, (only 20c) showing, roads, mountains, lakes, rivers, etc., etc., at

THE NOYES DRUG STORE,

NORWAY.

Only 50 Cents

to make your baby strong and well. A fifty cent bottle of

Scott's Emulsion

will change a sickly baby to a plump, romping child. Only one cent a day, think of it. Its as nice as cream.

Send for a free sample, and try it.
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409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

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DEPARTURES.

For Lewiston, Portland and Boston, 4.50 a. m.; 9.20 a. m.; 4.10 p. m.
For Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 9.50 a. m.; 10.05 p. m.
For Island Pond and way stations, 3.30 p. m

ARRIVALS.

From Boston, Portland, and Lewiston, 10.05 a. m.; 3.45 p. m., 10.22 p. m.
From Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 5.10 a. m.; 4.25 p. m.
From Island Pond and way stations, 9.58 a. m.

Sunday Trains.

DEPARTURES.

For Lewiston and Portland, 4.50 a. m.; excursion 7.45 a. m.; 5.50 p. m.
For Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 10.05 p. m.
For Berlin and way stations, 10.15 a. m.; 7.30 p. m.

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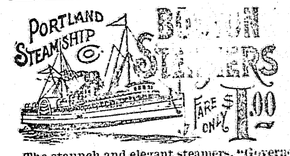
From Boston, Portland and Lewiston, 10.22 a. m.; 7.50 p. m.; 10.22 p. m.
From Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 5.10 a. m.
From Berlin, 8.00 a. m.; 6.05 p. m.

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to Portland, the Islands, Harpswell and Old Orchard.

Trains leave Norway at 7.45 a. m. each Sunday commencing July 7 to September 15 inclusive. Fare to Portland and return, 75c
" " " " " and Island, 1.00
" " " " " and Harpswell, 1.10
" " " " " and Old Orchard, 1.15

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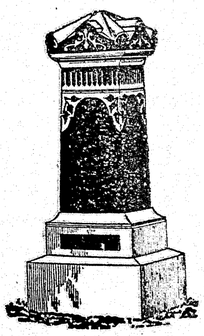
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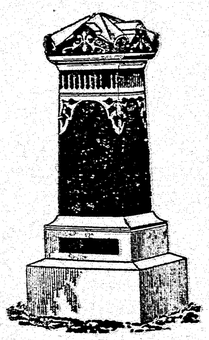
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Woman's Column.

Ways to Cook Green Corn.—The green corn of the market lacks much of the sweetness and delicacy which distinguish it at its best, for it deteriorates rapidly when picked, and should be cooked the same day it is picked from the stalks. There is a knack, too, in picking it at the right moment, when its sweetness and flavor are fully developed without any loss of tenderness.

If the corn is of this ideal quality, a good variety (of which the choice varies in different localities), and gathered at the point of actual perfection, it is perhaps as good as it can be, simply boiled or roasted on the ear. Corn boiled on the ear should be plunged in plenty of fast-boiling water, and kept at the boiling point for 15 to 20 minutes. Long boiling hardens instead of softening. Salt in the water has the same tendency. Wrap at once in a napkin and serve very hot, to be eaten with sweet butter, salt and pepper to taste. It is a common fad to have pretty designs of the corn itself on the embroidered covers for the corn, and few plants are more suitable for decorative use. Roast corn is with many people associated only with childhood, or with unconventional picnic parties, but a careful cook will roast several ears at a time, shut in a wire gridiron, with entire success, and it makes a very appetizing dish.

Another simple but admirable way of cooking green corn is to stew it with milk in a double boiler. Cut the corn from the ear by scoring each row of kernels lengthwise, slicing them off quite thinly, and then with the back of the knife pressing out the cream and germ of the kernel, leaving the skin on the cob. This is the proper way to prepare the corn for all the more complicated modes of cooking. For a quart of corn add a half pint of rich milk, and let it simmer for half an hour, stirring occasionally. Just before taking up add salt, pepper (white preferred) and a generous lump of the best butter.

For succotash cook in this way, adding Lima or butter beans, which must be cooked for half an hour separately before putting with the corn.

Tomatoes instead of beans make another combination. These (first sliced after taking off the skin) also need longer cooking than the corn, and should therefore be put over the fire half an hour by themselves before adding the corn. Season highly with salt, butter and cayenne.

Fritters made of green corn are so good that a liberal dish is generally required. Cut off the corn as before, add two well-beaten eggs to each quart, and flour enough to make a soft batter. It is impossible to give the exact quantity, as the corn varies in solidity so much. Add a saltspoonful of salt and one of sugar, if the corn is at all lacking in sweetness. Drop in hot fat and cook like other fritters; drain well, and serve very hot.

Delicious muffins are similarly made, using a little more flour. They may be baked on a griddle if preferred. Brown nicely, and butter profusely as they are taken up.

Cold boiled corn cut from the cob and browned in a frying pan with a little hot fat makes a good breakfast dish. Or if a few ears are roasted (taking great care not to burn it) and then cut quickly off the cob with a sharp knife, buttered and seasoned well, and served very hot, either by itself or in an omelet, it will be found a hightly popular dish at most tables.

Whole-wheat Bread.—Loaves of whole wheat bread should be made small so that all the yeast germs will be killed and bake just thirty minutes. For the whole-wheat bread use one or two cakes of compressed yeast dissolved in two tablespoonfuls of cold water. To one pint of milk add one pint of boiling water; when lukewarm add a teaspoonful of salt and the yeast. Now add sufficient whole-wheat flour to make a batter that will drop from the spoon." Beat fifteen minutes; the harder it is beaten the lighter the bread. Scrape the dough from the sides and stand in a warm place, two and one-half hours. At the end of that time add sufficient wheat flour to make a dough. Take out on the board, knead lightly and mold into loaves. Stand the loaves in a warm place one hour and bake thirty minutes. For white bread the method should be about the same, except the dough is kneaded the first time until no longer sticky, and set away three hours. After it is made into loaves let stand three-quarters of an hour and bake thirty minutes.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it. 31-35

Jelly Making.—We often have here a great deal of surplus fruit, consisting largely of small fruit that is not sent to market. Generally a considerable portion of our fruit is not of such quality as would sell if taken to market as it comes from the trees, without sorting. Reason, fungus diseases. And we have now in this state a pure food law that will restrict the sale of the artificial "fruit" products to a considerable extent. So we thought we would try our hand at jelly making from fruit juice and pure sugar. Looking up all the literature we could find on the subject, we prepared a quantity of fruit juice, intending to proceed in a small way at first. Most of the recipes say to add the sugar toward the end of the process; to boil very hard, etc.; and one goes so far as to tell us to heat the sugar in the oven before adding the boiling juice, thus making all red hot as it were. In doing the first batch we added the sugar to the boiling mass when nearly done, the result being a thick, burnt sugar product. Thinking we had not been careful enough in watching and stirring the boiling syrup to prevent scorching, we tried again, this time stirring the sugar into the boiling juice when almost thick enough to jell. Again did the sugar go entirely, and it seemed at once, into a burnt product. Our head is very thick or we might have foreseen the result, indeed we might almost as well have poured the sugar into a mass of molten metal. Then we again began looking the matter up in print, and found where it stated that the Oregon experiment station had issued instructions as to jelly making, impressing the necessity of boiling very slowly, etc. It is is curious to note that on applying to the station the authorities did not know that they ever issued anything pertaining to the subject at all. From our own experience, and looking the matter up, we have arrived at the following conclusions: A pan or other vessel with a water jacket should be used to prevent scorching. Sugar should not be added until the juice is almost of the proper consistency, and then only after cooling. We find that experience is needed in order to succeed in any undertaking.

NORWAY CENTER.

Fred Foster helped cut Mark Richardson's hay.

The F. R. M. D. is being appreciated more and more.

Addie Titcomb and Lillian Frost are work at Maplecroft. Clara Hobbs is housekeeper, taking the care from her mother who wishes to give it up.

Many are speaking of Mr. Rideout's sermons as being unusaally fine. The Sunday school is larger than it has been for several years. Herbert Hobbs is superintendent.

Small fruit is very abundant. Howard Knightly had strawberries by the bushel, more than he could have cared for if his wife had not been such a true helpmeet for him. Elmer Dunn's large raspberry patch is loaded with the luscious fruit.

Our farmers have been unusually busy gathering in their hay crop. Hay has been unusually abundant and most of the time the weather has been good. The morning of the 17th thunder showers came and caught several with much grass down, while others found a shower was coming and went to hauling in hay so got a very little wet.

The old manse at Maplecroft farm is again being filled with summer guests. We understand that some of their guests will lodge at the Holt house where they will find large airy rooms. Mr. Hobbs has hired the farm and his brother Herbert, who is his foreman on both farms, moved his family there, the first of the season. Mr. Walter was down a few days, last week, and his sisters from Lynn came, Saturday, to spend the summer after making their sister in Hebron, Mrs. C. W. Cummings, a visit.

E. W. Grove
This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine** Tablets the remedy that **cures a cold in one day**
For sale by F. P. STONE.

Andover Public Library.

The Andover Public Library Association, June 30th, 1900, to June 30th, 1901.

Total number of bound volumes	5,347
Increase during the year	448
Pamphlets	1,200
Number of books loaned	4,048

Among these books may be found 33 volumes and a number of pamphlets that belonged to the East Andover Social Library, that was established in this town in 1780, or about that time. The library is out of debt and there is a small balance in the hands of the treasurer.

Three to Eight Ounces More

to the pint in Devoe's Gloss Carriage Paint. Extra weight means heavier body—wears longer. Sold by C. B. Cummings & Sons.

Lemuel Gurney of Hebron has the roster of an old militia company. His father served in this company and saw actual service in the bloodless Aroostook war, having marched as far as Augusta.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

The best portrait which has been published of Governor Taft of the Philippines, appears in The Outlook for Aug. 3. It is a full-page reproduction of a fine painting owned by the Yale Club of New York. ($3 a year. The Outlook Company, 287 Fourth Avenue, New York.)

Admirers of Edgar Allan Poe are now called upon to explain how the shadow of his raven, which bird was sitting on the pallid bust of Pallas just above his chamber door, was thrown (by the lamplight o'er him streaming) on the floor. In a case of this sort it is always safe to fall back on poetic license.

Scribner's Magazine for August is the annual Fiction Number, and it contains seven complete short stories, the beginning of a new serial, and special illustrated articles and poems. The color-printing is shown at its best in the exquisite work of Maxfield Parish, who has found a very congenial subject in Quiller Couch's story of the Cornish coast, which has to do with a classical egend.

The editor on the Kennebec Journal who holds the position corresponding to that of the Snake and Freak editor of the Commercial received on Wednesday a curious and forbidding specimen of the beetle family, safely caged in a jar. It was fully four inches long, grayish in color, its wings very large and transparent, and its strangest feature was its head which strikingly resembled a lobster, claws and all. When captured it showed fight, snapping at the hand and leaving the marks of its mouth upon a stick held near it. One such creature will do very well, remarks the Journal, but it would not be nice to have them as numerous and as sociable as flies.

—[Bangor Commercial.

The ADVERTISER wishes to remark that in a temperance county like Oxford the sight of a hellgramite fly doesn't disturb. We know we ain't seein' strange things. They make good fish-bait.

For Rattlesnake Bites.—Few people know that sweet oil, the common olive oil of commerce, and the salad oil used on our tables, is a specific for rattlesnake bites. Use both internally and externally. Give the person a teaspoonful of oil every hour while nausea lasts. Dip pieces of cotton cloth two inches square in the oil and lay the saturated cloth over the wound. In twenty minutes or less bubbles and froth will begin to appear on the surface of the cloth. Remove the square, burn it and replace with a fresh square until all the swelling has subsided. Where rattlesnakes abound every household should keep a 6 or 8 ounce vial of best oil ready for emergencies. Avoid rancid or adulterated oil. No whiskey or other stimulant is needed, and in a majority of cases the patient is much better off without any so-called relief than that afforded by the oil. Relief is accelerated if some one with mouth and lips free from sores and cracks will suck the poison from the bite before applying the patches of oil-saturated cloth. A few drops of oil taken in the mouth before beginning will insure exemption from any disagreeable results.

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WEST PARIS.

Our village is well supplied with doctors. Five are here for the present. F. E. Leslie, M. D., one of the honor men of the recent graduating class of medical students at Bowdoin, has decided to settle at Andover and will be there to commence practice the first of August. Dr. Leslie has had large hospital experience, besides being a man of temperate and high moral character, and he will be a valuable man to any commtnity wherever he settles to practice his profession. We feel to congratulate the good people of Andover on having such an unexceptionally fine young man and physician settle in their midst. Dr. Wheeler goes to Providence, R. I., where he has an appointment in the State hospital for one year and a half. After the expiration of his service in the hospital he will come to West Paris to settle in the practice of his chosen profession. He will make a most valuable physician and surgeon for this place. Dr. Sullivan Andrews is here but has no place of settlement in view as yet. He is a very promising young man and will be an honor to any place where he may decide to settle.

There was a fine lawn party held at the residence of Mrs. S. B. Locke, Tuesday evening, July 23, in the interest of the Universalist society. The grounds were tastefully decorated and lighted by many Japanese lanterns hung on lines and from the adjoining trees gave it a most interesting appearance. The program of the evening consisted of music, declamations and reading by Bessie Burgess of West Sumner. The address of welcome was made by Master Robert Churchill, a little fellow of some six or seven years of age. It was very fine and highly praised and applauded. The readings by Bessie Burgess were excellent and highly appreciated as the applause and frequent encore testified. Miss Burgess was highly complimented for her talent as an elocutionest. Miss Moore of Lynn played a solo upon the piano which showed culture and elegance. The music and songs were very good and well rendered. Rev. Dr. Snow, pastor of the Universalist churches at this place and Paris Hill, was present and took part in the exercises. There were some 150 persons present, many from Paris Hill and other places. After the exercises of the evening a large company were served with delicious ice crerm and cake.

A man carrying a jag may be locked up; but if he carries a jug, and it cannot be proved that the contents are intended for illegal sale, he goes free. That is a recent Portland decision.

Now we know why the summer is so hot. It is because there are so many spots on the sun. There's no doubt that this season has knocked the spots off all its predecessors.

"Many advertisers have the idea that if they place an advertisement once in a single paper it is enough, but they are mistaken. They might just as well send one traveler over one railroad one trip and expect to get a year's business. That they do not do; but keep the man going over all the roads right along and they get the trade, just so with an advertisement; keep it going and you will have a better trade than without it."

EAST HEBRON.

Mrs. H. A. Record was not so well, last week.

Upland hay is nearly stored and intervales are now being cut.

Corn looks finely, but apples are a minus quantity, this season.

The cold mornings remind us that the frost will soon be our guest.

Many have colds occasioned by the hot days and cold nights and mornings. Streaked mountain now is the place that attracts the attention of this vicinity.

The relatives of Rev. C. T. Keene were called to Otisfield by his sickness and death. This was his birthplace and he resided here until recently. He was the local preacher for three years. One sister remains of his father's family of ten children, Mrs. I. W. Marshall who lives in this place. A wife, two daughters and one son survive him.

The Clover Leaf Club met with Ralph and Rena Pierce and were treated on frosted cake and ice cream. They report a fine time. The officers were elected for next year as follows:

President—Belle DeCoster.
Secretary—Edith Packard.
Treasurer—Ethel Merrill.
Gate Keepers—Mrs. Emily Keene and Hazel DeCoster.

FRYEBURG.

Charles A. Whittemore of Malden, Mass., died very suddenly at The Oxford, Wednesday evening. He had been accustomed to spend the summer here for many years past, and had arrived only the preceding day. He was apparently in his usual health. The physicians pronounced the cause of his death hemorrhage.

Thursday, July 25th, the remains of Rev. Columbus T. Keene of Otisfield were taken to Buckfield for burial. Mr. Keene died on Tuesday from the effects of a shock of paralysis. He was 69 years of age, and had preached in Otisfield for three years. The funeral was held, Wednesday, Rev. Mr. Newport of Oxford officiating. The remains reposed in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wallace Hodgdon of Elm street, Mechanic Falls, Wednesday night. Mr. Keene preached much of his life in Oxford county, at one time in Rumford Falls. He leaves a widow and three children, Mrs. Hodgdon, Mrs. Cora Shaw of Buckfield and Nathaniel Keene of Rumford Falls.

Maine Register, 1901-2.

This edition of the "Maine Register and State Year Book" gives:—

The population of each town for 1900 as per the U. S. census.

The valuation and number of polls in each town as given by the Board of State Assessors.

The vote of each town for each candidate for President, Governor and Congressmen at the last election.

The new apportionment of Maine for the next ten years.

The State Legislature for 1901-2.

The fifty-seventh U. S. Congress.

The electoral vote of each State for President.

The population of each State in the Union for 1900.

The miscellaneous statistics, practically covering, as they do, every matter of public interest, and the town statistics, giving a complete Business directory of the 425 towns and 20 cities in Maine, have all been thoroughly revised, and the township map corrected to date. Price $2.00.

Grenville M. Donham, publisher, 390 Congress, St., Opposite City Building, Portland, Maine.

RUMFORD FALLS.

Robert LeBerge has joined the regular army.

John E. Stephens is camping at Haines Landing.

Aretas E. Stearns, esq., is spending a vacation in Lovell.

Rufus J. Virgin and family are at Camp Freak, Howard pond, Hanover.

Swain brook bridge was rebuilt in the night time, so as not to interfere with travel.

Supt. J. H. Hassett of the International paper mill is at the exposition in Buffalo.

Henry Nelson is surveying into house lots the Charles F. Wheeler farm owned by Dr. J. A. Nile.

Herman Elsass of New York, president of the Continental Paper Bag Co., spent last week in town.

The new Melan arch bridge over the canal will be opened for traffic in the course of a week or ten days.

Everett K. Day and wife have been at Falmouth Foreside a week or more. Mrs. James McGregor is there now.

Samuel Thompson of Mexico appealed to the Supreme Court. Judge Johnson fined him $10 and costs for an assault.

John M. Holland, formerly of Dixfield, was in town, last Friday. Mr. Holland is now second selectman at Millinocket.

Road commissioner Harris L. Elliott has had a crew of Italians digging up Congress street preparatory to macadamizing.

A broken axle wrecked a small train of the railroad to the lakes, Tuesday afternoon of last week, near Stanley Bisbee's.

Bickford & Jewett from Berlin, N. H., have opened an office in Cheney block, and will do an insurance and real estate business.

Hon. George D. Bisbee and his son, Stanley Bisbee, are joint owners of a new camp near Haines Landing. They have named it Oxford Bear.

The power company has let another contract for house building. This time it is for twenty-five houses and John W. Burrows of Portland is the contractor.

Eva Eaton is clerking for her brother, town clerk Fred O. Eaton. Sarah Eaton is clerking in the local railroad office. These sisters have just graduated from business college.

Hon. George D. Bisbee was in Portland, last week, arguing cases before the law court. He was attorney in the cases of Rumford Falls Boom Co. v. Rumford Falls Paper Co., John A. Decker v. town of Rumford, and Portland & Rumford Falls Railway Co. v. Rumford Falls Paper Co., which have been taken to the highest court in the State.

New officers of Metallue Lodge, K. of P., are

P. C.—J. W. Simpson.
C. C.—C. P. Eaton.
V. C.—E. A. Dudley.
P.—F. J. Lord.
M. of W.—J. W. Simpson.
M. at A.—H. C. Dyer.
K. of R. and S.—M. E. Hersey.
M. of F.—F. W. Noyes.
M. of E.—H. M. Allen.
I. G.—H. J. Dyer.
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The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and one of the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Noyes Drug Store, Norway; F. A. Shurtleff & Co., South Paris. 31-35

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91 Main Street, NORWAY.

FREEDOM NOTICE.

This certifies that I have this day given my son, Willis A. Walker, his time for the remainder of his minority. I shall claim none of his wages or pay any debt sof his contracting after this date. C. A. WALKER,
Witness, J. Hastings Bean, Justice of the Peace
South Paris, July 19, 1901. 30-32

PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the OXFORD COUNTY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford Falls on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1901, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

HANNAH HARRIS, late of Norway, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof, presented by Thomas C. Richardson, Julia A. Horne and Albert J. Stearns, the executors therein named.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.
A true copy—Attest:
30-32 ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of
OLIVIA S. JONES, late of Norway,
in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. 30-33
July 16, 1901. HARRY P. JONES.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix of the last will and testament of
JAMES IRISH, late of Stow,
in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. 30-33
July 16, 1901. BETSEY D. IRISH.

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Also Kennedy's Fancy Cakes for Picnics. Rob Roy Flour is as good as ever. We have those square Fruit Jars for canning purposes.

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DENMARK.

Crops are fine, summer boarders included.

L. A. Ingalls and wife are home from the Islands.

Farmers are nearly done haying and have a bountiful crop.

A. H. Jones and Henry Walker are helping John Colby get his hay.

Dr. Brown is expecting his brother and mother from Gorham to visit him.

Elwood Pendexter came home, the 25th, from Greenwood, Mass., for a week's vacation.

Chauncey Bean cut his foot quite bad on a scythe, last week, 12 stitches were taken in dressing it.

Forester Jewett and his wife of Manchester are visiting his father, Stephen Jewett, and his sister, Mrs. Ada Swan.

J. W. Colby had a very bad bleeding spell from the nose. A physician was called who succeeded in stopping the bleeding.

Rev. C. F. Sargent's wife is visited by her sister, Dr. May Holmes of Worcester, Mass. She returns, Tuesday, and Sophia Richmond and aunt return with her.

Geo. W. Gray came home, Saturday, the 27th, from the Eye and Ear Infirmary in Portland where he has been treated for cataract on one eye. His eye is improved but not fully restored.

The family of Gilbert Warren were sadly afflicted by the death of their youngest daughter and sister, Mrs. Maude Sweetsir, at her home in Woodfords, Sunday morning, July 21. Her remains were brought to Denmark, July 24, and the funeral services at her old home by Rev. F. E. Barton of Bethel, who was visiting in Brownfield.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Woodbury Russell from North Norway is haying for Mrs. A. A. Rolfe.

Orin Brown has finished haying on his home farm but has the Case farm to get the hay on.

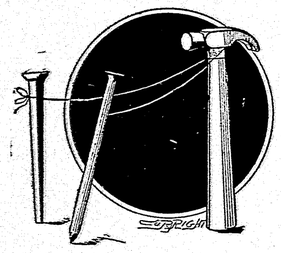
Rev. Mr. Ericsson, wife and child stayed at Orin Brown's, Saturday night. He preached at the chapel, Sunday.

Herbert Holt has got his hay all in, and his brother, J. F. Holt, we hear intends to go to Buffalo on his wheel to attend the Pan-American Exposition.



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is the simplest in construction, easiest to run and keep clean, most durable and greatest capacity for the money. It is the best. You make no mistake in buying a U. S. Separator. I am agent for them, also Babcock testers, churns and almost anything in the dairy line. I can save money for you. Come and see me or write me. Carding mill runs as usual. Highest cash price paid for fleece wool. Grain and Flour at lowest prices. Fire Extinguishers.

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So. Waterford.

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We have an exceptional bargain in Gents' Gold Filled Watch Chains.

They are made by a reliable manufacturer and guaranteed to wear like solid gold for 5 years. 12 beautiful styles. The usual price for a 5-year chain is $2.00 to $5.00.

Our price is 99c, and we will replace free any chain which does not wear to the full limit of 5 years.

J. K. CHASE,

BEAL ST., NORWAY.

OTISFIELD.

Levi Robinson is some better.

Mrs. Carrie Smith is selling belts.

Lena Edwards is visiting friends in Bethel.

Hattie Edwards is visiting friends at Cumberland Mills.

Hattie and Nettie Scribner are visiting friends in Concord, N. H.

Wallace Edwards was here from Poland Springs, last week.

Bertha Edwards is at work for Mrs. George Hancok of Bolster's Mills.

Robinson Edwards and wife of Topsham are visiting friends in this place.

Nathaniel Strout and family of Mechanic Falls visited at Hiram Edwards', recently.

Mrs. Abbie Chapman of Concord, N. H., visited her sister, Mrs. George Scribner, last week.

Sirvetus Lombard, who has been so very sick three months, is able to be up and go out some.

Algernon Ames has been quite sick, the past week, with a bad sore on his hand caused by blood poison.

EAST WATERFORD.

Frank Knight is sick at North Waterford, with little hope of his recovery.

Winslow Bisbee is remodeling the blacksmith shop to a dwelling house.

Mrs. Chas. Hodgdon is disabled for the time being by an unlucky fall while drawing water.

Henry O. Rolfe has bought the Ames place, and Winslow Bisbee has bought the blacksmith shop.

Alton Ames fell from the scaffold while pitching hay and was severely shaken up but is about again.

The town is filled with strangers all seemingly bent on a good time, riding, boating, sprinting, hunting and fishing.

The Telephone Co. has the wires laid to South Waterford. The trouble here is no one is willing to take charge of the affair.

G. F. Ames had a severe attack of nausea and vertigo, Sunday. Owing to his feeble condition it renders his situation very precarious.

Mary Chadbourn of Taunton, Mass., and Mrs. Kilbourn of New York (formerly Sylvia Chadbourn) are visiting the old Chadbourn homestead.

Blueberries are very plenty but owing to pressure of other business, pickers are very scarce. Vegetation is coming on finely. Farmers have been having fine hay weather for a few days but much grass is suffering to be cut.

NORTH LOVELL.

Quite a lot of campers around lake Kezar.

Mrs. Eliza Briggs is expected home the coming week.

Mrs. D. A. Watkins returned to Lewiston, Wednesday.

Blueberries are plenty on some of the mountains in Stoneham.

John Wilson has bought a nice cow of Wm. Gammon of West Stoneham.

Willie Brooks of Milton Plantation has been stopping with relatives in this vicinity lately.

Master Guy Harriman's hand that was cut so bad, last Sunday, is doing as well as could be expected.

The Misses Woodbury of Sweden visited their brother, Eugene Woodbury, at Pine Grove cottage, last Thursday.

The Reverend Leslie Coffin made his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Coffin, a short visit, last week. He bought a nice team while here and has returned with it to Tuftonboro, N. H., where he is located at present.

Summer visitors are with us again. They are driving, walking, boating, and seem to be enjoying life very much. Several double hitches went through here, last Thursday, loaded with people said to be from Waterford Flat, a seemingly happy crowd.

Quite a number from this place attended the circle at No. 4, Lovell, Wednesday, July 24, which was entertained by Mrs. Sumner Kimball and Emma McAllaster. They intended to serve the supper in the grove near John McAllaster's, but it looked so much like rain that they went to Miss McAllaster's home near by where a bountiful supper was served to over a hundred people. A very pleasant time socially and financially.

WEST BETHEL.

Ida Rollins was quite sick, Sunday.

Business is lively in and about the mill.

Fred McLeod has lost one of his span of horses.

Huldah Eames was at George Goodnow's, recently.

S. W. Potter had cucumbers from his garden, July 29.

Grace Mason made us a very pleasant visit, last Saturday.

L. D. Grover has a nice piece of corn, also other crops in his field.

Harry Lane and wife are often seen driving out with a fine team.

J. E. Pike has put in a refrigerator and has a nice cool place to keep butter.

Albert Farwell with wife and two sons of Everett, Mass., are visiting at W. A. Farwell's.

Charles Holton is here staying with his wife who is visiting her aunt, Vienna Holt, in this village.

Louis G. Whitten and wife are here staying with Mrs. Whitten's parents, H. P. Dennison and wife.

Ernest Rollins has earned twelve dollars working out in haying. We think it pretty well for a boy of his age.

GILEAD.

E. Leonard is rooming at the Gilead house.

Fred Cole, Fred Goodnow, Clevie Kimball and Roy Bennett went to Portland, Sunday.

Herbert Cole picked a nice mess of cucumbers from his garden, the 26th of last month.

Mrs. Hittie Griffin and family are spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Ed Lary.

Georgie Fernald of Bethel was in town, Sunday, to see a sick horse belonging to V. M. Newell.

J. W. Bennett is having a very nice park prepared down by the wire bridge for the benefit of his boarders.

Mrs. Tena E. Bennett while blueberrying with a party of friends, last Friday, on Tumble-Down-Dick lost her gold watch. If any one should find the same she would be greatly obliged if they would return it.

Advertised Letters, Norway.

Mrs. Margaret Dunn, Mrs. Charles Holmes. W. F. Caldwell,

NORTH WATERFORD.

I. F. Jewett of Waterford is helping G. H. Rice in haying.

G. B. Rich has finished haying at home and is now helping his brother Charles get his.

Mrs. Herbert Lord of West Bethel is for a short time staying with her parents at Bisbeetown.

Mrs. Woodbury who has been quite sick at her daughter's, Mrs. Alice Saunders', is now better.

Frank Knight who has been so very sick at his sister's, Mrs. Henry Proctor's, is somewhat on the gain.

Mrs. B. W. Rice and Mrs. M. E. Millett went raspberrying, last Wednesday. They found them quite plenty.

Mrs. S. C. Marsh of Charleston, Mass., spent the day, last Wednesday, at her granddaughter's, Mrs. M. E. Millett's.

Mrs. Charles Rice and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Fitts of Quincy, Mass., called on Mrs. Henry Warren and Miss Mayberry, last Thursday.

Mrs. Addison Millett with her daughters, Edith and Eloise, of Waterford, spent the day at her husband's sister's, Mrs. Ella Knight, on the 22d.

Mrs. G. M. Knight of Bisbeetown went, last Saturday, to Auburn to visit her daughter Edith who is at the Lewiston hospital studying for a trained nurse. She returned home, Monday.

Anne Allen has one of the best flower gardens in town.

Nina Bean visited her friend, Bernice Lebroke, a few days last week.

Sam Bumpus of Lewiston, formerly of Waterford, visited friends in Bisbeetown, a few days.

Blueberry picking seems to be the leading business of the day for the ladies and children.

L. H. Jewett who is working for Parris Paige has been changing work with Charles Marston, for a few days.

Anne Allen intends to go away soon to work in a cottage in Lovell. Her daughter Maude will go and board with her.

A. B. Washburn and wife have gone to New Hampshire to attend the wedding of her grandson, Forrest Nichols.

Henry Plummer's boy at the Four Corners fell from his bicycle and was injured quite badly, but now seem to be gaining.

There was an Odd Fellows circle and dance at their hall, Saturday evening. Lemonade was served. Music by Kimball P. Andrews' boys.

James Paige and wife will start for their home in Topeka, Kan., this week. They will visit Bangor, Boston and St. Louis on their way home.

Bernice Lebroke returned home from Auburn and Lewiston, July 20, where she has been visiting friends. Her cousin, Guy Morse, came with her and stayed until Monday.

A small party met at Pappoose pond, July 18, and partook of a very inviting dinner. The following were present: Aaron Paige and wife, Porter Seavey and wife, Lillian Bisbee of Norway; James Paige and wife of Kansas; Lyman Holmes and wife, Parris Paige and wife, children and grandchildren, Herbert Pearson of Waterford; Nina Bean of Albany. A good time was enjoyed by all, fishing, picking berries and boating.

Clara Hersey is on the sick list.

Florence Stanley is staying with Mrs. Giles at present.

Lillie Fiske and children are visiting at her father's, C. Stone's.

L. H. Jewett and C. A. Marston caught 150 pickerel, last Monday.

BROWNFIELD.

Everett Graffam finished working for Thomas Harmon, Saturday night.

Mrs. Davis of Farmington, N. H. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Frink.

Mrs. Georgia Boynton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eaton, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scranton closed their cottage for the summer, Saturday.

Mrs. Will McDonald is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Ina A. Sherburne of Dorchester, Mass., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Andrew Blake.

Mary Johnson from Boston is spending a few weeks with the family of her brother, J. F. Johnson.

Mrs. Frank Fessenden is caring for her mother, Mrs. Albert Blake, who has been quite ill but is now much better.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Daggett have returned to their home in Lewiston after making a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Staples.

Mrs Charles E. Giles jr. is spending a few weeks at Emory Lord's. She will also visit other relatives in town before returning to her home in Dorchester.

Sadie Leavitt goes to Intervale, N. H., Monday, where she will work at the Bellevue during the remainder of the season. P. S. Boynton also goes at the same time and will work at Sunset Pavilion.

GROVER HILL.

Clyde S. Walker is at home from Bert Brown's.

Minnie Mayberry Godwin has been visiting relatives here.

Ben Lapham is working in the hay field for Peter Wheeler.

Cross Bros. have harvested W. M. Brown's hay for which they received $80.

Levi Browne is contemplating a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Lyons, Auburn, quite soon.

Mrs. Frances Whitman worked for Mrs. Emma VanDenKerckhoven, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rice from Bethel Hill were guests at L. N. Bartlett's, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Bean and son, Milton Holt Bean, from South Acton are enjoying a visit at the home of Freeland Bennett.

Isaac Morrill has harvested the hay on the Herrick & Park farm. He cuts the hay on the E. S. Kilborn place, this week, if the weather is good.

HARTFORD.

Minnie Robinson went to Boston, Tuesday.

Leon Irish was in Rumford Falls a part of last week.

E. M. Howard and wife of East Peru visited friends in town, Thursday.

Mrs. Harriet Whitman is visiting her niece, Mrs. Arthur Foss, at Lewiston Junction.

Owing to the heavy rain, Sunday, Miss Forbes did not speak at Hartford as announced.

Mrs. Frank W. Ford and son Clyde of Portland visited J. R. Ford and family, last week.

Telephone Line Nearly Complete.

The work on the N. E. T. Co.'s line to South Waterford and East Stoneham is progressing finely and in a short time will be open for business.

The following letter from B. G. McIntire of East Waterford explains itself and shows who the guarantors are and also those who contributed to assist the Waterford and Stoneham people in the undertaking.

MR. EDITOR: Dear Sir:—As the New England Telephone Co.'s line from Norway to Waterford and Stoneham is in an advanced stage of construction, a few words in regard to the circumstances leading to the building of the line and the manner in which the N. E. T. Co. came to be interested in it, may be appropriate.

In the latter part of the winter, a meeting was held at North Waterford at which the need of a telephone line in this section was informally talked over, and from this meeting by gradual stages sprung the negotiations with the N. E. T. Co., which have resulted in their building a line into this section.

A guarantee of a business of $500 per year for four years was necessary in order to secure the building of the line, and this was met by twenty-six firms and individuals in Waterford, Albany and Stoneham, who signed such a guarantee. The sum of $138 was also raised by subscription to form a fund to go toward the payment of such deficiency as may arise from the guarantee. $133 of this amount is deposited in Norway savings bank.

The good feeling and mutual business interests existing between Norway and Waterford and Stoneham is illustrated by the fact that $105 was contributed by citizens of Norway from only a partial canvass of business firms there.

The ones signing the guarantee are as follows:

Jonathan Bartlett,	Stoneham.	
F. H. Bartlett,	"	
V. H. Littlefield,	"	
L. H. Burnham,	Albany.	
A. C. Holt,	"	
B. G. McIntire,	Waterford.	
W. H. Kilgore,	"	
L. E. McIntire,	"	
E. H. Nason,	"	
Howard Russell,	"	
James Brown & Son,	"	
W. S. Perkins,	"	
A. S. Hapgood,	"	
Elliott & Bartlett,	"	
F. W. Saunders,	"	
C. M. Cooledge,	"	
A. G. Morse,	"	
C. D. Morse,	"	
E. M. Dudley,	"	
Wm. W. Watson,	"	
C. O. Godwin,	"	
W. K. Hamlin,	"	
A. B. Libby,	"	
Mrs. A. E. Young,	"	
Haskell & Rolfe,	"	

The following is a list of those who paid cash:

C. H. Pride,	Waterford	$5
J. L. Partridge,	Norway	5
A. S. Kimball,	"	5
H. B. Foster,	"	5
F. W. Sanborn,	"	5
Chas. F. Ridlon,	"	5
A. F. Andrews,	"	5
Smiley Shoe Store,	"	5
C. L. Hathaway,	"	5
C. B. Cummings & Sons,	"	5
Noyes Drug Store,	"	5
F. P. Stone,	"	5
Wm. C. Leavitt,	"	5
W. W. Whitmarsh,	"	5
S. B. & Z. S. Prince,	"	5
F. H. Noyes Co.,	"	5
E. F. Bicknell,	"	5
H. P. Jones,	"	5
Freeland Howe,	"	5
C. A. Stephens,	"	5
C. N. Tubbs & Son,	"	5
Hobbs Variety Store,	"	5
W. A. Manning,	Waterford	5
G. C. Brownell,	"	5
W. D. Moulton,	"	1
F. L. Hobson,	"	1
C. W. York,	"	1
G. E. Hobson,	"	1
J. C. Rice,	"	1
H. W. Parker,	"	1
Wallace Elliott,	Albany	1
H. Plummer,	"	2
J. L. Ramsdell,	Stoneham	2
J. J. Fields,	"	2
J. H. Brown,	Brooklyn, N. Y.	5
		$138

SWEDEN.

Owen Stone of Salem, Mass., is at Mrs. James M. Stone's.

Gus. Ottignon and wife of Boston are the guests of Mrs. Alonzo Smith.

A. H. Whitehouse finished haying, Friday. Eugene Durgin of Lovell helped him.

Mrs. Wm. Saunders has been recently visited by his sister, Mrs. O. Chadbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gurney and daughter of Lawrence, Mass., are at C. W. Bennett's.

B. D. Knight helped M. B. and J. W. Perry in their haying and is now helping Wm. M. Flint.

A. Hugh Smart goes through Sweden and Lovell, every Monday and Thursday, with his meat cart.

B. H. Nevers of North Paris has recently been in town looking after the interests of his farm.

Francis Woodbury of Hartford, Conn., is spending his vacation at his father's, D. H. Woodbury's.

Mrs. Samuel Plummer has returned from a week's visit to his son, J. F. Plummer, South Paris.

Mrs. Bertha O. Kimball, nee Harland, of Stark, N. H., visited his brother Bert, at Alvin Pike's, recently.

Miss A. L. Ellsworth of South Waterford has just spent a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Perry.

The Misses Cochrane and Flagg have closed their successful labors in Sweden and left town, July 25, much to the regret of all.

The Y. P. circle met at Town Hall, Wednesday evening, July 24. They had a large number from in and out of town and a fine time.

Aaron Eastman of Boston, a former resident of this town, spent a part of his vacation at C. W. Bennett's, calling on relatives and old friends.

Dr. Willis H. Kimball of Portland, George R. Kimball and wife and daughters of North Bridgton, and Mrs. Samuel Ring were in town, Sunday, July 29.

Miss E. B. Hamlin of Spellman Seminary, Atlanta Ga., has just made a short visit at her cousin's, Mrs. Samuel Plummer's. While there she called upon old neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Cochrane gave a picnic to her Sunday school class of young children at Plummer's grove, Wednesday, July 24. The little folks were given a nice treat, which some of the older ones enjoyed.

The powerful rain of Sunday has revived the growing crops. Our farmers have secured an abundant crop of hay, and nearly all have finished with the exception of their meadows, which are too wet to cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Gammon have returned from their short honeymoon and are at Mrs. Gammon's home, in Sweden, where they will be at home to their friends. They are to reside at Cape Elizabeth.

Jos. R. Bearce of West Minot has been granted a pension, $10; Samuel W. Howard, West Peru, an increase, $14.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

E. G. Emerson has a new Buckeye mower.

Harry Haynes is at work haying for Hans Muller.

Marian Horr of Lowell, Mass., is visiting friends in this place.

Dr. Sylvester and family have moved into their cottage on Bear lake.

F. G. Burt returned to Providence, R. I., the 24, for a few days' stay.

Chester Stevens has bought the Joel Monroe place of Charles Brigham.

Alfred Kimball is continuing his music lessons. He will buy a new violin.

Mrs. Lena Snow and her son Will were guests of Mrs. Jennie Kimball, last week. They are from Providence, R. I.

It looks now as if the apple crop would be very light. The few on the trees are blighted a great deal, due probably to the wet weather during the spring.

NORTH NORWAY.

Ida McKay is helping Mrs. C. S. Penley.

Arthur Herrick is at home from Lawrence, Mass.

Dana Hamlin from Casco is at H. Knapp's haying.

Minnie Cox and Alice Foster visited in Hallowell ten days.

Two Lovejoy lads are boarding at C. A. Frost's, this summer.

Richardson brothers are cutting the grass on Rollin Towne's farm.

Will Symonds, who went to Florida, last winter, has returned home.

Frank Noble, who is at Falmouth Foreside, is reported as gaining rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. John York are going down east on a visit soon.

Henry S. Hamlin has done machine mowing on five farms, this hay season.

Aldro A. French and wife are expected home from Attleboro, Mass., the first part of next month.

Elbridge Holt clipped off the end of one finger in a mowing machine while repairing the machine.

May Holt from Somerville, Mass., is spending her vacation at her old home. She has a camera and is taking lots of nice pictures.

Dr. Walker is putting up some poles for a telephone. He is quite anxious to have a telephone at his house. If we were to have a telephone we should want it to run to our own village instead of West Paris, as most of our business would be there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pearson are spending their vacation at her mother's, Mrs. Betsey French's. They started in company with others to visit the Pan American Exposition at Buffalo but the heat was so intense they concluded to wait until cooler weather.

UPTON.

Mrs. Werton Sargent is at work for Mrs. S. W. Lane.

Several from town attended the dance at Newry, July 26th.

Marcus Swett has been spending a few days with Wm. Swett.

Laforest Bragg has taken the job to do Mrs. Louise West's haying.

Mrs. Jane Sanborn has returned home after several weeks' stay with friends.

Will Sargent has moved from the Lumen Sargent rent back to his own place.

There were no services at the church, Sunday, the 28th, on account of the weather.

George Deering talks of building a house on Thistle street. He will build on Enoch Abbott's land either in front of Will Whitney's or Ed. Chase's.

We regret to say that S. F. Peaslee got left, Saturday morning, by the steamer he was intending to take en route for the Rangeleys. It must have been a great disappointment for him as well as the party at the other end of the route.

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REPORT

Of the condition of the Norway National Bank (No. 1956) at Norway in the State of Maine, at the close of business, July 15, 1901.

Resources.

Loans and discounts,	$117,717.93
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	25,500.00
Stocks, securities, etc.,	47,944.84
Furniture & fixtures,	2,500.00
Other real estate owned	3,157.86
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents,)	17,593.04
Due from approved reserved agents,	36,267.50
Internal-Revenue stamps	14.00
Checks and other cash items,	1,577.92
Notes of other National Banks,	8,210.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, cents,	182.14
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie, $ 7,716.30	
Legal-tender notes, 4,103.00	11,819.30
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation),	1,625.00
Total,	$281,325.63

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund,	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	1,872.91
National Bank notes outstanding,	30,400.00
Due to other National Banks	78.30
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks,	17,031.85
Dividends unpaid,	330.30
Individual deposits subject to check,	146,721.67
Demand certificates of deposit,	14,428.85
Certified checks	161.75
Cashier's checks outstanding	300.00
Total,	$281,325.63

State of Maine, County of Oxford, ss.

I, H. D. SMITH, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. D. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1901, HERRICK C. DAVIS, Judge Norway Municipal Court.

CORRECT—Attest:

S. I. MILLETT, C. E. HOLT, C. N. TUBBS, } Directors.

Special Prices On Men's Suits.

We have marked our Summer Suits down to move them out. Not all sizes in each lot, but your size is in some lot. Several lots of fancy mixtures, regular $10.00 Suits are $7.50. Some of these patterns are light, some dark with shades between. Our $12.00 and $12.50 Suits are now $10.00. It's true economy to buy good goods for little money. All our Boys' 50c Blouses for 25c.

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A Partial List of Our Ready-to-Use Cooked Canned Meats.

VEAL LOAF,	CORNED BEEF,
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HAM LOAF,	LUNCHEON BEEF,
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CANNED CHICKEN,	ENGLISH BRAWN,
VEAL AND CHICKEN PATE,	DRIED CHIPPED BEEF,
DEVILED HAM,	VIENNA SAUSAGE,
CANNED BACON,	LUNCH TONGUE,
CANNED SLICED HAM,	WHOLE OX TONGUE.
SARDINES,	BEECHNUT BACON IN GLASS.
OLIVES AND	JELLIES AND
PICKLES.	JAMS.

All Very Convenient for Campers and Picnickers.

N. DAYTON BOLSTER & CO.,

SOUTH PARIS, ME.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends for their kindness during the late illness of our little child and for the many floral offering after his death. MR. AND MRS. W. B. ABBOTT.

Lewiston, Maine. *

CARD OF THANKS.

We the undersigned, take this opportunity to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our niece, Sybil E. Blen. We also extend our thanks to the members of Frederick Robie Grange and others for their kind attentions and offerings of flowers.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE A. DYER,
MRS. W. H. CANNON,
MAY L. LIBBY.

East Otisfield, August 5, 1901. *

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line

Your choice of $1.50 shirt waists 39c at Thomas Smiley's.

At Hills' the jeweler's is the only place in town where you can find Eastman's films, paper, etc., fresh and direct from factory.

Pigs for sale, also shoats, inquire of W. V. Kneeland, Waterford, Me.

$1.75 wrappers at Thomas Smiley's for $1.25.

Cameras and photo supplies, lowest prices in Oxford Co. at Hills', the jeweler's. See ad.

The Noyes Drug Store folks will have the New York Sunday Journal coming direct from New York, arriving about 8.30 p. m., Sunday.

You can save money by buying watches of Hills, the jeweler. Waltham and Elgin movements in 3 oz. nickel silver case, stem wind, only $5.00, others ask $7.00.

Girl wanted to take charge of central. G. E. Allen, Eastern Telephone Co., Norway.

Milk pans which are warranted to wear 25 years at Chase's.

Dry plates 4x5 only 28c at Hills', the jeweler's, same as others ask 30 and 35c for.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ferdinand Swan is visiting in Brunswick.

Frank Pike is home from Lewiston for a few days.

Hazel Bennett visited friends in Bethel, last week.

Ralph Staples of Waltham, Mass., is visiting Joseph Jewett.

H. P. Sawyer and crew are painting the high school building.

The fall term of the village schools will begin on Monday, Sept. 23.

Haven Sargent is spending his vacation with his father in Salem, Mass.

George Moholland of Malden, Mass., was a guest at Mrs. J. D. Cragin's, Sunday.

Bertha H. Mann entertained a score of the young folks at whist, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lara of Auburn have been on a carriage drive through Oxford county.

Rev. C. H. Hayes of Portland will conduct services in the Episcopal church at 11 o'clock a. m., Sunday.

Francis S. Parsons of South Boston is visiting his brother, John W. Parsons, at the farm on Pike's Hill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Works.

Mrs. Elizabeth Works died at West Minot, last week Wednesday, after a fortnight's sickness with typhoid fever. She was nearly sixty years old and was a daughter of the late Henry and Abigail (Pottle) Pike of Norway. Her husband was the late Willis T. Works of Oxford. She left one son, Willis H. Works. The funeral was held at her late home on Friday, attended by Rev. Caroline E. Angell. Interment was in Norway Pine Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Walter Purington and two children of Harrison have been visiting her father, Horace Pike, the past week.

Rev. J. Albert Libby of West Poland will preach at North Norway, Sunday forenoon; and in G. A. R. hall in the afternoon.

Hon. and Mrs. John A. Roberts and son went to West Minot to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Works, last Friday.

Mrs. George W. Hobbs has returned from Peaks Island. Fannie Hobbs remained at the seashore, staying with friends in Falmouth.

The T. A. Roberts Relief Corps have invited the Harry Rust Relief Corps and Post to a picnic at John Brown's at East Otisfield, Thursday, Aug. 15.

Nettie M. Fuller has returned from the seashore. She visited friends at Falmouth Foreside and at Higgins Beach, while taking a two weeks vacation.

James H. Dyer of the H. F. Webb Co., has been here looking after the firm's interests in the corn shop. D. M. French of Readfield, superintendent of the factory is here at work.

Mrs. Sarah Crooker is home from Auburn helping to take care of her mother, Mrs. Job Crooker who is in very poor health. Mrs. Crooker will be 80 years old in September.

Mrs. Grace Maud Coffin and three young children—two girls and a boy—are visiting her brother, John H. Crockett. They live in Rochester N. H. Mrs. Coffin's mother also came with her.

Mrs. William C. Cole has a remarkably fine lot of old-fashioned tiger lilies in her flower garden. It seems a pity that so beautiful a flower should be so much neglected in these latter days.

Allen C. Hutchinson, teacher of sciences in Goddard Seminary, Barre, Vt., is at home for a few weeks. He has been visiting friends at West Milan, N. H., where he formerly taught school.

Masters Hugh and Charlie Pike organized a base ball team in the lower part of the village, to play the Cat Alley team. They had a game in the field near the Episcopal church, Tuesday afternoon, and the Pikes won by 9 to 4.

At the Columbian Cottage—the one painted blue and on the west shore of the Lake—the following new arrivals came, Monday:—John Nally, Fred Dorgan and Catherine Halloran all of Lynn. More are expected, next Saturday, including John Callahan, the owner.

Mrs. Augusta Millett who is at her daughter's, Mrs. W. E. Lombard's, at Camden, suffered a slight shock, Sunday, and another, a more severe one, Monday afternoon. Her son, Robert N. Millett, and daughter, Mercy, went Monday, to Camden as soon as the telegram was received.

The patrons of the Rural Free Delivery Route, No. 2, have asked for a change in the route so that the families in Sodom will be accommodated as well as E. H. Noble, C. W. Ryerson and V. E. Dunn. If granted it will increase the distance traveled by the messenger a little more than one mile.

DENMARK.

Crops are fine, summer boarders included.

L. A. Ingalls and wife are home from the Islands.

Farmers are nearly done haying and have a bountiful crop.

A. H. Jones and Henry Walker are helping John Colby get his hay.

Dr. Brown is expecting his brother and mother from Gorham to visit him.

Elwood Pendexter came home, the 25th, from Greenwood, Mass., for a week's vacation.

Chauncey Bean cut his foot quite bad on a scythe, last week, 12 stitches were taken in dressing it.

Forester Jewett and his wife of Manchester are visiting his father, Stephen Jewett, and his sister, Mrs. Ada Swan.

J. W. Colby had a very bad bleeding spell from the nose. A physician was called who succeeded in stopping the bleeding.

Rev. C. F. Sargent's wife is visited by her sister, Dr. May Holmes of Worcester, Mass. She returns, Tuesday, and Sophia Richmond and aunt return with her.

Geo. W. Gray came home, Saturday, the 27th, from the Eye and Ear Infirmary in Portland where he has been treated for cataract on one eye. His eye is improved but not fully restored.

The family of Gilbert Warren were sadly afflicted by the death of their youngest daughter and sister, Mrs. Maude Sweetsir, at her home in Woodfords, Sunday morning, July 21. Her remains were brought to Denmark, July 24, and the funeral services at her old home by Rev. F. E. Barton of Bethel, who was visiting in Brownfield.

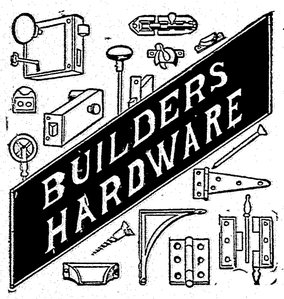
NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Woodbury Russell from North Norway is haying for Mrs. A. A. Rolfe.

Orin Brown has finished haying on his home farm but has the Case farm to get the hay on.

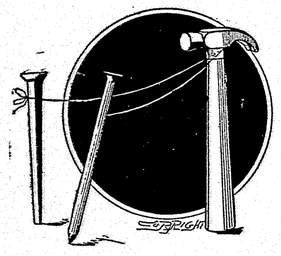
Rev. Mr. Erricsson, wife and child stayed at Orin Brown's, Saturday night. He preached at the chapel, Sunday.

Herbert Holt has got his hay all in, and his brother, J. F. Holt, we hear intends to go to Buffalo on his wheel to attend the Pan-American Exposition.



J. O. CROOKER,

BRICK STORE, NORWAY.



Come to

BECK'S BAZAAR.

For low prices. Through the month of August we shall sell all goods at a very low price. I buy a great part of my goods direct from the factory so I can sell at extremely low prices. New goods every few days. Call at my store and see what you can buy for a small amount of money.

Yours Truly

F. H. Beck.

Open every Evening.

NOW THAT THE RUSH

of haying is over, it is a good time to put in the Separator that you have been thinking and talking about. Grain is high and we cannot afford to let any of the cream go into the skimmed milk.

THE U. S. SEPARATOR

is the simplest in construction, easiest to run and keep clean, most durable and greatest capacity for the money. It is the best. You make no mistake in buying a U. S. Separator. I am agent for them, also Babcock testers, churns and almost anything in the dairy line. I can save money for you. Come and see me or write me. Carding mill runs as usual. Highest cash price paid for fleece wool. Grain and Flour at lowest prices. Fire Extinguishers.

W. K. HAMLIN,

So. Waterford.

WATCH CHAINS.

We have an exceptional bargain in Gents' Gold Filled Watch Chains.

They are made by a reliable manufacturer and guaranteed to wear like solid gold for 5 years. 12 beautiful styles. The usual price for a 5-year chain is $2.00 to $5.00.

Our price is 99c, and we will replace free any chain which does not wear to the full limit of 5 years.

J. K. CHASE,

BEAL ST., NORWAY.

OTISFIELD.

Levi Robinson is some better.

Mrs. Carrie Smith is selling belts.

Lena Edwards is visiting friends in Bethel.

Hattie Edwards is visiting friends at Cumberland Mills.

Hattie and Nettie Scribner are visiting friends in Concord, N. H.

Wallace Edwards was here from Poland Springs, last week.

Bertha Edwards is at work for Mrs. George Hancok of Bolster's Mills.

Robinson Edwards and wife of Topsham are visiting friends in this place.

Nathaniel Strout and family of Mechanic Falls visited at Hiram Edwards', recently.

Mrs. Abbie Chapman of Concord, N. H., visited her sister, Mrs. George Scribner, last week.

Sirvetus Lombard, who has been so very sick three months, is able to be up and go out some.

Algernon Ames has been quite sick, the past week, with a bad sore on his hand caused by blood poison.

EAST WATERFORD.

Frank Knight is sick at North Waterford, with little hope of his recovery.

Winslow Bisbee is remodeling the blacksmith shop to a dwelling house.

Mrs. Chas. Hodgdon is disabled for the time being by an unlucky fall while drawing water.

Henry O. Rolfe has bought the Ames place, and Winslow Bisbee has bought the blacksmith shop.

Alton Ames fell from the scaffold while pitching hay and was severely shaken up but is about again.

The town is filled with strangers all seemingly bent on a good time, riding, boating, sprinting, hunting and fishing.

The Telephone Co. has the wires laid to South Waterford. The trouble here is no one is willing to take charge of the affair.

G. F. Ames had a severe attack of nausea and vertigo, Sunday. Owing to his feeble condition it renders his situation very precarious.

Mary Chadbourn of Taunton, Mass., and Mrs. Kilbourn of New York (formerly Sylvia Chadbourn) are visiting the old Chadbourn homestead.

Blueberries are very plenty but owing to pressure of other business, pickers are very scarce. Vegetation is coming on finely. Farmers have been having fine hay weather for a few days but much grass is suffering to be cut.

NORTH LOVELL.

Quite a lot of campers around lake Kezar.

Mrs. Eliza Briggs is expected home the coming week.

Mrs. D. A. Watkins returned to Lewiston, Wednesday.

Blueberries are plenty on some of the mountains in Stoneham.

John Wilson has bought a nice cow of Wm. Gammon of West Stoneham.

Willie Brooks of Milton Plantation has been stopping with relatives in this vicinity lately.

Master Guy Harriman's hand that was cut so bad, last Sunday, is doing as well as could be expected.

The Misses Woodbury of Sweden visited their brother, Eugene Woodbury, at Pine Grove cottage, last Thursday.

The Reverend Leslie Coffin made his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Coffin, a short visit, last week. He bought a nice team while here and has returned with it to Tuftonboro, N. H., where he is located at present.

Summer visitors are with us again. They are driving, walking, boating, and seem to be enjoying life very much. Several double hitches went through here, last Thursday, loaded with people said to be from Waterford Flat, a seemingly happy crowd.

Quite a number from this place attended the circle at No. 4, Lovell, Wednesday, July 24, which was entertained by Mrs. Sumner Kimball and Emma McAllaster. They intended to serve the supper in the grove near John McAllaster's, but it looked so much like rain that they went to Miss McAllaster's home near by where a bountiful supper was served to over a hundred people. A very pleasant time socially and financially.

WEST BETHEL.

Ida Rollins was quite sick, Sunday.

Business is lively in and about the mill.

Fred McLeod has lost one of his span of horses.

Huldah Eames was at George Goodnow's, recently.

S. W. Potter had cucumbers from his garden, July 29.

Grace Mason made us a very pleasant visit, last Saturday.

L. D. Grover has a nice piece of corn, also other crops in his field.

Harry Lane and wife are often seen driving out with a fine team.

J. E. Pike has put in a refrigerator and has a nice cool place to keep butter.

Albert Farwell with wife and two sons of Everett, Mass., are visiting at W. A. Farwell's.

Charles Holton is here staying with his wife who is visiting her aunt, Vienna Holt, in this village.

Louis G. Whitten and wife are here staying with Mrs. Whitten's parents, H. P. Dennison and wife.

Ernest Rollins has earned twelve dollars working out in haying. We think it pretty well for a boy of his age.

GILEAD.

E. Leonard is rooming at the Gilead house.

Fred Cole, Fred Goodnow, Clevie Kimball and Roy Bennett went to Portland, Sunday.

Herbert Cole picked a nice mess of cucumbers from his garden, the 26th of last month.

Mrs. Hittie Griffin and family are spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Ed Lary.

Georgie Fernald of Bethel was in town, Sunday, to see a sick horse belonging to V. M. Newell.

J. W. Bennett is having a very nice park prepared down by the wire bridge for the benefit of his boarders.

Mrs. Tena E. Bennett while blueberrying with a party of friends, last Friday, on Tumble-Down-Dick lost her gold watch. If any one should find the same she would be greatly obliged if they would return it.

Advertised Letters, Norway.

Mrs. Margaret Dunn, Mrs. Charles Holmes. W. F. Caldwell,

NORTH WATERFORD.

I. F. Jewett of Waterford is helping G. H. Rice in haying.

G. B. Rich has finished haying at home and is now helping his brother Charles get his.

Mrs. Herbert Lord of West Bethel is for a short time staying with her parents at Bisbeetown.

Mrs. Woodbury who has been quite sick at her daughter's, Mrs. Alice Saunders', is now better.

Frank Knight who has been so very sick at his sister's, Mrs. Henry Proctor's, is somewhat on the gain.

Mrs. B. W. Rice and Mrs. M. E. Millett went raspberrying, last Wednesday. They found them quite plenty.

Mrs. S. C. Marsh of Charleston, Mass., spent the day, last Wednesday, at her granddaughter's, Mrs. M. E. Millett's.

Mrs. Charles Rice and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Fitts of Quincy, Mass., called on Mrs. Henry Warren and Miss Mayberry, last Thursday.

Mrs. Addison Millett with her daughters, Edith and Eloise, of Waterford, spent the day at her husband's sister's, Mrs. Ella Knight, on the 22d.

Mrs. G. M. Knight of Bisbeetown went, last Saturday, to Auburn to visit her daughter Edith who is at the Lewiston hospital studying for a trained nurse. She returned home, Monday.

Anne Allen has one of the best flower gardens in town.

Nina Bean visited her friend, Bernice Lebroke, a few days last week.

Sam Bumpus of Lewiston, formerly of Waterford, visited friends in Bisbeetown, a few days.

Blueberry picking seems to be the leading business of the day for the ladies and children.

L. H. Jewett who is working for Parris Paige has been changing work with Charles Marston, for a few days.

Anne Allen intends to go away soon to work in a cottage in Lovell. Her daughter Maude will go and board with her.

A. B. Washburn and wife have gone to New Hampshire to attend the wedding of her grandson, Forrest Nichols.

Henry Plummer's boy at the Four Corners fell from his bicycle and was injured quite badly, but now seem to be be gaining.

There was an Odd Fellows circle and dance at their hall, Saturday evening. Lemonade was served. Music by Kimball P. Andrews' boys.

James Paige and wife will start for their home in Topeka, Kan., this week. They will visit Bangor, Boston and St. Louis on their way home.

Bernice Lebroke returned home from Auburn and Lewiston, July 20, where she has been visiting friends. Her cousin, Guy Morse, came with her and stayed until Monday.

A small party met at Pappoose pond, July 18, and partook of a very inviting dinner. The following were present: Aaron Paige and wife, Porter Seavey and wife, Lillian Bisbee of Norway; James Paige and wife of Kansas; Lyman Holmes and wife, Parris Paige and wife, children and grandchildren, Herbert Pearson of Waterford; Nina Bean of Albany. A good time was enjoyed by all, fishing, picking berries and boating.

Clara Hersey is on the sick list.

Florence Stanley is staying with Mrs. Giles at present.

Lillie Fiske and children are visiting at her father's, C. Stone's.

L. H. Jewett and C. A. Marston caught 150 pickerel, last Monday.

BROWNFIELD.

Everett Graffam finished working for Thomas Harmon, Saturday night.

Mrs. Davis of Farmington, N. H. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Frink.

Mrs. Georgia Boynton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eaton, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scranton closed their cottage for the summer, Saturday.

Mrs. Will McDonald is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Ina A. Sherburne of Dorchester, Mass., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Andrew Blake.

Mary Johnson from Boston is spending a few weeks with the family of her brother, J. F. Johnson.

Mrs. Frank Fessenden is caring for her mother, Mrs. Albert Blake, who has been quite ill but is now much better.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Daggett have returned to their home in Lewiston after making a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Staples.

Mrs Charles E. Giles jr. is spending a few weeks at Emory Lord's. She will also visit other relatives in town before returning to her home in Dorchester.

Sadie Leavitt goes to Intervale, N. H., Monday, where she will work at the Bellevue during the remainder of the season. P. S. Boynton also goes at the same time and will work at Sunset Pavilion.

GROVER HILL.

Clyde S. Walker is at home from Bert Brown's.

Minnie Mayberry Godwin has been visiting relatives here.

Ben Lapham is working in the hay field for Peter Wheeler.

Cross Bros. have harvested W. M. Brown's hay for which they received $80.

Levi Browne is contemplating a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Lyons, Auburn, quite soon.

Mrs. Frances Whitman worked for Mrs. Emma VanDenKerckhoven, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rice from Bethel Hill were guests at L. N. Bartlett's, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Bean and son, Milton Holt Bean, from South Acton are enjoying a visit at the home of Freeland Bennett.

Isaac Morrill has harvested the hay on the Herrick & Park farm. He cuts the hay on the E. S. Kilborn place, this week, if the weather is good.

HARTFORD.

Minnie Robinson went to Boston, Tuesday.

Leon Irish was in Rumford Falls a part of last week.

E. M. Howard and wife of East Peru visited friends in town, Thursday.

Mrs. Harriet Whitman is visiting her niece, Mrs. Arthur Foss, at Lewiston Junction.

Owing to the heavy rain, Sunday, Miss Forbes did not speak at Hartford as announced.

Mrs. Frank W. Ford and son Clyde of Portland visited J. R. Ford and family, last week.

Telephone Line Nearly Complete.

The work on the N. E. T. Co.'s line to South Waterford and East Stoneham is progressing finely and in a short time will be open for business.

The following letter from B. G. McIntire of East Waterford explains itself and shows who the guarantors are and also those who contributed to assist the Waterford and Stoneham people in the undertaking.

MR. EDITOR: Dear Sir:—As the New England Telephone Co.'s line from Norway to Waterford and Stoneham is in an advanced stage of construction, a few words in regard to the circumstances leading to the building of the line and the manner in which the N. E. T. Co. came to be interested in it, may be appropriate.

In the latter part of the winter, a meeting was held at North Waterford at which the need of a telephone line in this section was informally talked over, and from this meeting by gradual stages sprung the negotiations with the N. E. T. Co., which have resulted in their building a line into this section.

A guarantee of a business of $500 per year for four years was necessary in order to secure the building of the line, and this was met by twenty-six firms and individuals in Waterford, Albany and Stoneham, who signed such a guarantee. The sum of $138 was also raised by subscription to form a fund to go toward the payment of such deficiency as may arise from the guarantee. $133 of this amount is deposited in Norway savings bank.

The good feeling and mutual business interests existing between Norway and Waterford and Stoneham is illustrated by the fact that $105 was contributed by citizens of Norway from only a partial canvass of business firms there.

The ones signing the guarantee are as follows:

Jonathan Bartlett,	Stoneham.
F. H. Bartlett,	"
V. H. Littlefield,	"
L. H. Burnham,	Albany.
A. C. Holt,	"
B. G. McIntire,	Waterford.
W. H. Kilgore,	"
L. E. McIntire,	"
E. H. Nason,	"
Howard Russell,	"
James Brown & Son,	"
W. S. Perkins,	"
A. S. Hapgood,	"
Elliott & Bartlett,	"
F. W. Saunders,	"
C. M. Cooledge,	"
A. G. Morse,	"
C. D. Morse,	"
E. M. Dudley,	"
Wm. W. Watson,	"
C. O. Godwin,	"
W. K. Hamlin,	"
A. B. Libby,	"
Mrs. A. E. Young,	"
Haskell & Rolfe,	"

The following is a list of those who paid cash:

C. H. Pride,	Waterford	$5
J. L. Partridge,	Norway	5
A. S. Kimball,	"	5
H. B. Foster,	"	5
F. W. Sanborn,	"	5
Chas. F. Ridlon,	"	5
A. F. Andrews,	"	5
Smiley Shoe Store,	"	5
C. L. Hathaway,	"	5
C. B. Cummings & Sons,	"	5
Noyes Drug Store,	"	5
F. P. Stone,	"	5
Wm. C. Leavitt,	"	5
W. W. Whitmarsh,	"	5
S. B. & Z. S. Prince,	"	5
F. H. Noyes Co.,	"	5
E. F. Bicknell,	"	5
H. P. Jones,	"	5
Freeland Howe,	"	5
C. A. Stephens,	"	5
C. N. Tubbs & Son,	"	5
Hobbs Variety Store,	"	5
W. A. Manning,	Waterford	5
G. C. Brownell,	"	5
W. D. Moulton,	"	1
F. L. Hobson,	"	1
C. W. York,	"	1
G. E. Hobson,	"	1
J. C. Rice,	"	1
H. W. Parker,	"	1
Wallace Elliott,	Albany	1
H. Plummer,	"	2
J. L. Ramsdell,	Stoneham	2
J. J. Fields,	"	2
J. H. Brown,	Brooklyn, N. Y.	5
		$138

SWEDEN.

Owen Stone of Salem, Mass., is at Mrs. James M. Stone's.

Gus. Ottignon and wife of Boston are the guests of Mrs. Alonzo Smith.

A. H. Whitehouse finished haying, Friday. Eugene Durgin of Lovell helped him.

Mrs. Wm. Saunders has been recently visited by his sister, Mrs. O. Chadbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gurney and daughter of Lawrence, Mass., are at C. W. Bennett's.

B. D. Knight helped M. B. and J. W. Perry in their haying and is now helping Wm. M. Flint.

A. Hugh Smart goes through Sweden and Lovell, every Monday and Thursday, with his meat cart.

B. H. Nevers of North Paris has recently been in town looking after the interests of his farm.

Francis Woodbury of Hartford, Conn., is spending his vacation at his father's, D. H. Woodbury's.

Mrs. Samuel Plummer has returned from a week's visit to his son, J. F. Plummer, South Paris.

Mrs. Bertha O. Kimball, nee Harland, of Stark, N. H., visited his brother Bert, at Alvin Pike's, recently.

Miss A. L. Ellsworth of South Waterford has just spent a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Perry.

The Misses Cochrane and Flagg have closed their successful labors in Sweden and left town, July 25, much to the regret of all.

The Y. P. circle met at Town Hall, Wednesday evening, July 24. They had a large number from in and out of town and a fine time.

Aaron Eastman of Boston, a former resident of this town, spent a part of his vacation at C. W. Bennett's, calling on relatives and old friends.

Dr. Willis H. Kimball of Portland, George R. Kimball and wife and daughters of North Bridgton, and Mrs. Samuel Ring were in town, Sunday, July 29.

Miss E. B. Hamlin of Spellman Seminary, Atlanta Ga., has just made a short visit at her cousin's, Mrs. Samuel Plummer's. While there she called upon old neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Cochrane gave a picnic to her Sunday school class of young children at Plummer's grove, Wednesday, July 24. The little folks were given a nice treat, which some of the older ones enjoyed.

The powerful rain of Sunday has revived the growing crops. Our farmers have secured an abundant crop of hay, and nearly all have finished with the exception of their meadows, which are too wet to cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Gammon have returned from their short honeymoon and are at Mrs. Gammon's home, in Sweden, where they will be at home to their friends. They are to reside at Cape Elizabeth.

Jos. R. Bearce of West Minot has been granted a pension, $10; Samuel W. Howard, West Peru, an increase, $14.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

E. G. Emerson has a new Buckeye mower.

Harry Haynes is at work haying for Hans Muller.

Marian Horr of Lowell, Mass., is visiting friends in this place.

Dr. Sylvester and family have moved into their cottage on Bear lake.

F. G. Burt returned to Providence, R. I., the 24, for a few days' stay.

Chester Stevens has bought the Joel Monroe place of Charles Brigham.

Alfred Kimball is continuing his music lessons. He will buy a new violin.

Mrs. Lena Snow and her son Will were guests of Mrs. Jennie Kimball, last week. They are from Providence, R. I.

It looks now as if the apple crop would be very light. The few on the trees are blighted a great deal, due probably to the wet weather during the spring.

NORTH NORWAY.

Ida McKay is helping Mrs. C. S. Penley.

Arthur Herrick is at home from Lawrence, Mass.

Dana Hamlin from Casco is at H. Knapp's haying.

Minnie Cox and Alice Foster visited in Hallowell ten days.

Two Lovejoy lads are boarding at C. A. Frost's, this summer.

Richardson brothers are cutting the grass on Rollin Towne's farm.

Will Symonds, who went to Florida, last winter, has returned home.

Frank Noble, who is at Falmouth Foreside, is reported as gaining rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. John York are going down east on a visit soon.

Henry S. Hamlin has done machine mowing on five farms, this hay season.

Aldro A. French and wife are expected home from Attleboro, Mass., the first part of next month.

Elbridge Holt clipped off the end of one finger in a mowing machine while repairing the machine.

May Holt from Somerville, Mass., is spending her vacation at her old home. She has a camera and is taking lots of nice pictures.

Dr. Walker is putting up some poles for a telephone. He is quite anxious to have a telephone at his house. If we were to have a telephone we should want it to run to our own village instead of West Paris, as most of our business would be there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pearson are spending their vacation at her mother's, Mrs. Betsey French's. They started in company with others to visit the Pan American Exposition at Buffalo but the heat was so intense they concluded to wait until cooler weather.

UPTON.

Mrs. Werton Sargent is at work for Mrs. S. W. Lane.

Several from town attended the dance at Newry, July 26th.

Marcus Swett has been spending a few days with Wm. Swett.

Laforest Bragg has taken the job to do Mrs. Louise West's haying.

Mrs. Jane Sanborn has returned home after several weeks' stay with friends.

Will Sargent has moved from the Lumen Sargent rent back to his own place.

There were no services at the church, Sunday, the 28th, on account of the weather.

George Deering talks of building a house on Thistle street. He will build on Enoch Abbott's land either in front of Will Whitney's or Ed. Chase's.

We regret to say that S. F. Peaslee got left, Saturday morning, by the steamer he was intending to take en route for the Rangeleys. It must have been a great disappointment for him as well as the party at the other end of the route.

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Your Tin, Galvanized and Sheet Iron Work Done Well and Promptly by a thorough workman.

If so leave your orders with . . .

Wm. C. Leavitt,

NORWAY, ME.

I have as good a Tinsmith at work for me as ever struck a blow in this town, to say nothing about what I can do myself

Furnaces Cleaned and Repaired.
Estimates given on all kinds of heating apparatus

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FOR SALE A house and lot, situated at the corner of Paris and Winter Sts. House containing nine large rooms and ell. To be sold on easy terms. Address Mrs. Mary E. Beal, Waltham, Mass., Box 196. 31-33

REPORT

Of the condition of the Norway National Bank (No. 1956) at Norway in the State of Maine, at the close of business, July 15, 1901.

Resources.

Loans and discounts,		$117,717.33
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,		32,500.00
Stocks, securities, etc.,		47,944.34
Furniture & fixtures,		2,500.00
Other real estate owned		3,157.56
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents),		17,809.04
Due from approved reserved agents,		36,267.50
Internal-Revenue stamps		14.00
Checks and other cash items,		1,577.02
Notes of other National Banks,		8,210.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, cents,		183.14
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie,	$ 7,716.30	
Legal-tender notes,	4,103.00	11,819.30
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation,)		1,625.00
Total,		$281,325.63

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund,	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	1,872.91
National Bank notes outstanding,	30,400.00
Due to other National Banks	78.30
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	17,031.85
Dividends unpaid,	330.00
Individual deposits subject to check,	146,721.67
Demand certificates of deposit,	14,428.85
Certified checks	161.75
Cashier's checks outstanding	300.00
Total,	$281,325.63

State of Maine, County of Oxford, ss.

I, H. D. SMITH, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. D. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1901, HERRICK C. DAVIS, Judge Norway Municipal Court.

CORRECT—Attest:

S. I. MILLETT,
C. E. HOLT,
C. N. TUBBS, } Directors.

Special Prices On Men's Suits.

We have marked our Summer Suits down to move them out. Not all sizes in each lot, but your size is in some lot. Several lots of fancy mixtures, regular $10.00 Suits are $7.50. Some of these patterns are light, some dark with shades between. Our $12.00 and $12.50 Suits are now $10.00. It's true economy to buy good goods for little money. All our Boys' 50c Blouses for 25c.

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VEAL LOAF,	CORNED BEEF,
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CANNED CHICKEN,	ENGLISH BRAWN,
VEAL AND CHICKEN PATE,	DRIED CHIPPED BEEF,
DEVILED HAM,	VIENNA SAUSAGE,
CANNED BACON,	LUNCH TONGUE,
CANNED SLICED HAM,	WHOLE OX TONGUE.
SARDINES,	BEECHNUT BACON IN GLASS.
OLIVES AND	JELLIES AND
PICKLES.	JAMS.

All Very Convenient for Campers and Picnickers.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends for their kindness during the late illness of our little child and for the many floral offering after his death. MR. AND MRS. W. B. ABBOTT.

Lewiston, Maine.

CARD OF THANKS.

We the undersigned, take this opportunity to express our thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our niece, Sybil E. Bleck. We also extend our thanks to the members of Frederick Robie Grange and others for their kind attentions and offerings of flowers.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE A. DYER,
MRS. W. H. CANNON,
MAY L. LIBBY.

East Otisfield, August 5, 1901.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the li

Your choice of $1.50 shirt waists 8 at Thomas Smiley's.

At Hills' the jeweler's is the on place in town where you can find Ea man's films, paper, etc., fresh and dire from factory.

Pigs for sale, also sheats, inquire W. V. Kneeland, Waterford, Me.

$1.75 wrappers at Thomas Smiley's f $1.25.

Cameras and photo supplies, lowe prices in Oxford Co. at Hills', the jew er's. See ad.

The Noyes Drug Store folks will ha the New York Sunday Journal comi direct from New York, arriving abo 8.30 p. m., Sunday.

You can save money by buying watch of Hills, the jeweler. Waltham a Elgin movements in 3 oz. nickel sil case, stem wind, only $5.00, others $7.00.

Girl wanted to take charge of cent G. E. Allen, Eastern Telephone Co., N way.

Milk pans which are warranted to w 25 years at Chase's.

Dry plates 4x5 only 28c at Hills', jeweler's, same as others ask 30 and for.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ferdinand Swan is visiting Brunswick.

Frank Pike is home from Lewis for a few days.

Hazel Bennett visited friends Bethel, last week.

Ralph Staples of Waltham, Mass. visiting Joseph Jewett.

H. P. Sawyer and crew are pain the high school building.

The fall term of the village sch will begin on Monday, Sept. 23.

Haven Sargent is spending his v tion with his father in Salem, Mass.

George Moholland of Malden, M was a guest at Mrs. J. D. Cragin's, day.

Bertha H. Mann entertained a sco the young folks at whist, Mo evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lara of An have been on a carriage drive thr Oxford county.

Rev. C. H. Hayes of Portland will duct services in the Episcopal chur 11 o'clock a. m., Sunday.

Francis S. Parsons of South Bost visiting his brother, John W. Par at the farm on Pike's Hill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Works.

Mrs. Elizabeth Works died at Minot, last week Wednesday, af fortnight's sickness with typhoid f She was nearly sixty years old and a daughter of the late Henry and gail (Pottle) Pike of Norway. He band was the late Willis T. Wo Oxford. She left one son, Will Works. The funeral was held a late home on Friday, attended by Caroline E. Angell. Interment w Norway Pine Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Walter Purington and two dren of Harrison have been visitin father, Horace Pike, the past week.

Rev. J. Albert Libby of West P will preach at North Norway, S forenoon; and in G. A. R. hall in afternoon.

Hon. and Mrs. John A. Robert son went to West Minot to atten funeral of her sister, Mrs. Eliz Works, last Friday.

Mrs. George W. Hobbs has re from Peaks Island. Fannie Hob mained at the seashore, staying friends in Falmouth.

The T. A. Roberts Relief Corp invited the Harry Rust Relief Cor Post to a picnic at John Brown's a Otisfield, Thursday, Aug. 15.

Nettie M. Fuller has returned the seashore. She visited friends mouth Foreside and at Higgins while taking a two weeks vacatio

James H. Dyer of the H. F. Wet has been here looking after the interests in the corn shop. French of Readfield, superintend the factory is here at work.

Mrs. Sarah Crooker is home Auburn helping to take care mother, Mrs. Job Crooker who very poor health. Mrs. Crooker w 80 years old in September.

Mrs. Grace Maud Coffin and young children—two girls and a are visiting her brother, John H. ett. They live in Rochester N. H Coffin's mother also came with he

Mrs. William C. Cole has a r ably fine lot of old-fashioned tige in her flower garden. It seems that so beautiful a flower should much neglected in these latter da

Allen C. Hutchinson, teacher ences in Goddard Seminary, Bar is at home for a few weeks. H been visiting friends at West Mi H., where he formerly taught sch

Masters Hugh and Charlie Pike nized a base ball team in the low of the village, to play the Ca team. They had a game in th near the Episcopal church, T afternoon, and the Pikes won by

At the Columbian Cottage—t painted blue and on the west s the Lake—the following new came, Monday:—John Nally, Fr gan and Catherine Halloran all More are expected, next Satur cluding John Callahan, the owne

Mrs. Augusta Millett who i daughter's, Mrs. W. E. Lomba Camden, suffered a slight sho day, and another, a more sev Monday afternoon. Her son, R Millett, and daughter, Mercy Monday, to Camden as soon as gram was received

The patrons of the Rural Fre ery Route, No. 2, have aske change in the route so that the in Sodom will be accommodate as E. H. Noble, C. W. Ryerson a Dunn. If granted it will incr distance traveled by the mes little more than one mile.